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**FOO PING-SHEUNG
NEW MAYOR?**

Opium And Gambling
Taxes To End

ORDERS ISSUED BY NEW
ADMINISTRATION

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.
The Nanking Government
has requested General Chen to
remain in Hong Kong as his
services may be needed as a
moral influence over his former
subordinates. General Chen,
however, plans to visit Europe,
together with his brother and
confidential adviser.

The new Canton administration
under the direct auspices
of General Chiang Kai-shek
promises to abolish opium and
gambling taxes. This
announcement is intended to make
a good impression on the public,
who expect less heavy
taxation and less official oppression
in the name of planned economy
or rationalisation.

**NANKING OFFICIALS
FOR CANTON**

Shanghai, To-day.
Mr. T. L. Soong, Mr. Tsou Lin,
Vice-Minister of Finance, and
nine other Nanking officials left
for Canton in a specially
chartered plane at 9:05 a.m. to-day.
—Reuter.

Mr. Foo Ping-sheung, chairman
of the Foreign Relations
Committee of the Legislative
Yuan, is spoken of as the next
Mayor of Canton, in place of
Mr. Liu Chi-wen, who is reported
to have gone to Shanghai to
look for another post.

**Mayor Liu Leaves
For North**

Mayor Liu Chi-wen of Canton,
accompanied by Mrs. Liu,
left for the North yesterday,
en route to Nanking, by the
m.v. Victoria. Mr. Liu came to
Hong Kong in company with
Mr. Lin Yun-kai, Chairman of
the Kwangtung Provincial Government,
last week.

**NO ALLIANCE WITH
FOREIGN INVADERS**

Declaration Made
By Gen. Yu

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.
General Yu Hon-mou, the new
Pacification Commissioner of
Kwangtung, and other leading
generals who opposed the former
South-west regime have issued
declarations opposing "alliance" with
foreign invaders.

Lieut-General Huang Kwang-
hui, chief of the Air Force,
charged in his manifesto that foreign
airmen almost took control of
the war planes here prior to their
wholesale defection.

The local garrison has been
ordered to keep a sharp watch on
Japanese roving. The situation
will probably become more stabilised,
as General Yu Hon-mou will
arrive here some time this morning.

ABIDING BY DECISIONS

Shanghai: A Japanese report
from Canton states that Generals
Li Tsung-jen and Pai Chung-hai
have decided to abide by the decision
of the plenary conference.
—Reuter.

**PRIVATE SECRETARY TO THE
DUKE OF YORK**

London, To-day.—Sir Eric
Mieville has been appointed private
secretary to the Duke of York.
—Reuter.

**OLYMPIC TORCH
RELAY**

**RUNNER GREETED AT
CORINTH**

CITY EN FETE FOR OCCASION

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Corinth, To-day.
The Olympic torch-runner Spiliotopoulos reached here at 11.30
a.m. yesterday, when he was received by the acclamations of the
population, who, despite a temperature of 95 degrees Fahrenheit,
had gathered at the chief square, reinforced by the population of
all the neighbouring villages.

The pealing of church-bells announced the arrival of the
torch. The runner gave the torch to the Mayor, who thereupon
kindled the fire on the altar before the city hall and a military
band played the Greek National Anthem, which was sung by hundreds
of school-children in their gayest clothes. The square
was decorated with a vast number of Greek and German National
flags.

A number of girls danced the national dance before the altar,
being filmed by Leni Riefenstahl. At 12 sharp the bells pealed
again, and it was signalled that the torch-runner was on his way
to Athens. At 1.15 p.m. the torch passed the bridge across the
Corinth Canal between the mainland and the Peloponnese, the
place over which the legendary King Pelops, to whom the initiation
of the Olympic Games is attributed, reigned. In olden days
the Olympic Games were in fact part of the funeral service, and
are said to have been first staged at the death of King Pelops.

**LOCARNO POWERS
TO MEET**

**Consolidating Peace
Of Europe**

COMMUNIQUE ISSUED

London, To-day.

A communique announces that
the British, French and Belgian
Governments have decided that
there will be a meeting of their
representatives to-morrow in London
to examine the situation and
consider how best to further the
desire of the three Powers to consolidate
the peace of Europe by
means of a general settlement.

M. Leon Blum, the Premier, and
M. Delbos, the Foreign Minister,
will represent France. — Reuter's
Bulletin Service.

TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE

London: A communique issued
from the Foreign Office yesterday
afternoon states: "As the result
of the exchange of views
shadowed in the communique
issued in Geneva on July 4 relating
to a further meeting of the
Powers whose representatives drew
up the London arrangement of
March 19, the Governments of
France, Belgium and Britain have
now decided that there shall be a
meeting in London on July 23 of
the representatives of the three
Powers. The object of this meeting
will be to examine and to consider
how best to further the
desires of the three Powers to
consolidate the peace of Europe by
means of a general settlement."

"As was stated in the House of
Commons last night the Government
of Germany and Italy have
been and will be kept informed.
To-day the Foreign Secretary
received at the Foreign Office both
the German and Italian Charges
d'Affaires." — British Wireless
Service.

STOP PRESS

The Open Pairs Lawn
Bowls Championship game
between W. Mair and W.
Greig and S. Randle and R.
Duncan has been postponed
and will be played to-
morrow, but the postponed
Open Singles game between
J. Shepherd and L. A.
Gutierrez will be played
this afternoon at the Kow-
loon Dock Recreation Club
green.



While the nations of Europe and the Orient are in many cases
making warlike gestures, there is one section of the globe where
peace is making rapid strides for permanence. In a moment
fraught with historic significance between South America's two
biggest nations, President Getulio Vargas of Brazil is here shown
signing the Brazil-Argentina anti-war pact at Rio de Janeiro. In
the background, from left to right, are A. W. Francis, former
Secretary of State of Brazil, Judge Rodrigo Octavio of the Supreme
Court, and Miguel Carcano.

**FRESH TROUBLE
IN ABYSSINIA**

**Ethiopians Marching
On Addis Ababa**

Cairo, To-day.

According to telegraphic advice
from the Egyptian Consulate at
Addis Ababa to the Ministry of
Foreign Affairs, the forces pre-
viously led by Ras Kassa are ap-
proaching Addis Ababa from the
south, while Ras Seyoum is ad-
vancing from another direction.
Fierce fighting is reported, with
heavy losses among both Italians
and Ethiopians. — Reuter.

**AMNESTY IN
AUSTRIA**

**About 5,000 Prisoners
To Benefit**

Vienna, To-day.

Dr. von Schuschnigg is pro-
claiming an amnesty on Friday,
and four or five thousand Nazi,
Socialist and Communist prisoners
are expected to benefit from it,
while pending proceedings against
another 100 persons accused of
political offences will be dropped.
— Reuter.

**PLANE LANDING ON
NORMANDIE**

**DRAMATIC EVIDENCE AT
COURT MARTIAL**

London, To-day. — Dramatic evidence of how he tried to
avoid colliding with the Normandie was given by Flying-Officer
Horsey at the resumed Court Martial yesterday.

He stated that after dropping a torpedo during exercises he
felt himself being moved bodily sideways towards the Normandie.
He hoped to clear the deck and land in the sea, but he evidently
hit some wire which tore his wing off and pulled the machine in
the opposite direction. When he landed safely on the deck of the
French liner, sailors took him by the hand, saying he was brave.
The findings of the Court will promulgated. — Reuter's
Bulletin Service.

**MUTINOUS TROOPS
SURRENDER**

**17 OFFICERS COMMIT
SUICIDE**

**5,000 REBELS MARCHING ON
SARAGOSSA**

London, To-day.
The Admiralty announces that the first cruiser squadron has
been instructed to send one cruiser to Barcelona and another to
Palma. The cruiser Amphion, which left England yesterday to
join the Africa station, has been ordered to Tenerife.

A Bayonne message says that news reached the French fron-
tier station yesterday afternoon that the Spanish rebels had oc-
cupied San Sebastian at 5 p.m., following a fierce engagement
with loyal Carabiniers, who lost 24 killed. Several motor-cars
filled with British tourists are evacuating San Sebastian, but it
is believed that some British subjects remain there.

Hendaye: It is reported that the rebels, after capturing
San Sebastian, are now advancing on Bilbao. British tourists ar-
riving here relate that San Sebastian was machine-gunned from
the air yesterday morning. — Reuter.

Madrid: After fierce fighting
lasting practically the whole of
Monday the Government fully
controls the situation here.
The mutinous troops surren-
dered and the bodies of 17
officers who committed suicide
when they discovered that the
plot had failed were discovered
when the barracks were taken.
The Government has taken
over the five leading Rightist
papers and intends to amalga-
mate them. The red flag now
flies over one.

The Government is reported
to control the situation in
most provincial centres, but an
improvised army of 5,000 re-
bels, chiefly peasants and work-
men, equipped with rifles, is
marching on Saragossa. —
Reuter's Bulletin Service.

REBEL SUCCESSES

London, Later: As far as the
latest news from many quarters
can be trusted, the Spanish rebels
are making notable progress. Re-
fugees arriving at Hendaye de-
clare that the provinces of Sara-
gossa, Navarre, Jaca, Vittoria,
Burgos, Valladolid and Pontevedra
are in the hands of the rebels,
while the frontier guards at Hen-
daye, Echobiz and Dantcharia
have gone over to the rebels. The
rebels control San Sebastian,
where the wireless station of the
last Royalist stronghold is being
besieged by the rebels.

A Tangier message says that
the rebel headquarters at Ceuta
have warned neutral shipping to
leave the harbour, as the rebels
plan an air attack on the Govern-
ment warships, which are alleged
to be marooned owing to lack of
fuel and provisions. Nevertheless
the British destroyer Whitehall is
remaining in the harbour. — Reuter.

GOVERNMENT ACTION

Madrid: For the purpose of
putting down the rebellion in Val-
ladolid, Burgos and Saragossa,
the Spanish military forces will
be divided into five main columns,
consisting of the loyal regular
troops, the workers' militia, the
police, the Civil Guard and the
Assaults Guard.

Everything was quiet in Madrid
yesterday. Trams were again run-
ning and a number of shops were
open. The national flag was fly-
ing from all public buildings. The
Anarcho-Syndicalists published a
proclamation denying the rumours
that they were joining the Fascists,
pointing out that conclusive
evidence to the contrary was
given.

On board the Jaime I, which is
the sister-ship of the Espana,
the largest in the Spanish
Navy, the sailors refused to obey
the officers who wanted to side
with the rebels, and in the en-
suing fight between officers and

**TWO AMERICAN WARSHIPS
IN MEDITERRANEAN**

**Battleship Oklahoma Ordered
To San Sebastian**

Washington, To-day.

Two United States warships
have been ordered to the
Mediterranean.

The battleship Oklahoma, at
present at Cherbourg, has been
ordered to San Sebastian to make
contact with the American Am-
bassador there and evacuate
American citizens if necessary.
According to a Gibraltar mes-
sage the Admiralty tug Energetic
rushed to Algeiras and brought
back 120 British visitors and
several foreigners. — Reuter.

sailors the Commander and one
Lieutenant were killed and many
officers seriously wounded.

A decree in the Gazette appoints
Lieutenant Prado to be Comman-
der-in-Chief of the Navy, and
from the latter ship a telegram
has been received declaring loy-
alty to the new chief.

CONFLICTING REPORT

Paris: It is definitely announ-
ced by the Madrid Government
that the situation in Galicia in
north-west Spain is completely
normal, and that the army has
remained loyal to the Government.
The moral and material situation
in the provinces of the rebels is
very seriously weakened. There
is furthermore no truth in the
report that the situation in San Se-
bastian gives cause for uneasi-
ness.

In a flat contradiction to this
report a French news agency in
Bayonne reports that San Sebas-
tian has been taken by the rebels.
General Molas, who is advancing
from Pamplona, is expected to
arrive at any moment in San Se-
bastian.

CHURCH AS STRONGHOLD

Madrid: The official announce-
ment has been made by the Gov-
ernment that loyal troops sup-
ported by the People's Front
Militia marched into Alcala de
Henares and after hard fighting
defeated the insurrectionists, who
made the church of Santa Maria,
the Cathedral and the town hall
their chief strongholds.
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**NEW CHIEF JUSTICE OF
BARBADOS**

London, To-day. — H.M. the
King has approved the appoint-
ment of Mr. E. A. Collymore,
Attorney-General, Barbados, to
be Chief Justice, Barbados, suc-
ceeding Sir R. H. Furness.
— British Wireless Service.

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An Air Mail Box has been erected at the General Post Office. Correspondence intended for the R.M.A. "Dorado" must be posted before 8.30 a.m. on Friday. In Kowloon such correspondence may be posted in the ordinary box at Kowloon Post Office which will be cleared at 3 a.m. on Friday. The public are requested to see that their letters bear sufficient postage. Correspondence bearing insufficient postage will be forwarded by ordinary services.

AIR MAIL

Air Mail correspondence may be posted in the ordinary posting boxes at the General Post Office. Such correspondence should bear sufficient postage and be superscribed "By Air Mail."

INWARD MAILS FROM EUROPE

Kaiser-I-Hind (via Suez) July 22

FROM U.S.A.

Pres. McKinley July 24
Emp. of Russia July 30
Pres. Hoover July 30
Pres. Hayes July 31

FROM JAPAN

Chichibu Maru July 23
Ranchi July 24
Kamo Maru July 24
Pres. McKinley July 24
Maybashi Maru July 27
Tokushima Maru July 28
Genoa Maru July 29
Nellore July 30
Emp. of Russia July 30
Pres. Hoover July 30
Gen. Sherman July 31
Pres. Hayes July 31

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Lisbon Maru July 22
Dollus July 25
Kunming July 26
Diomed July 27
Cramer July 28
Terukuni Maru July 28

FROM SHANGHAI

Chichibu Maru July 23
Pres. McKinley July 24
Ranchi July 24
Potsdam July 24
Antenor July 28
Marchal Joffre July 28
Demococ July 29
Emp. of Russia July 30
Noto Maru July 30
Pres. Hoover July 30
Gen. Sherman July 31
Pres. Hayes July 31

OUTWARD MAILS

FOR EUROPE

Kaiser-I-Hind July 22
Emp. of Canada (via Vancouver) July 22
Closes: Reg. 9.15 a.m.
Ord. 10.00 a.m.
R.M.A. Delphinus ("Imperial Airways direct service") July 24
Closes: Reg. 5 p.m. Ord. 8.30 a.m.
Potsdam July 24
Ranchi (K.L.M. Service) July 25
Closes: Reg. 9 a.m. Ord. 9.30 a.m.
Marchal Joffre ("Air Orient Service") July 28
Closes: Reg. 9 a.m. Ord. 9.30 a.m.
Terukuni Maru (via Siberia) July 28
Antenor (via Marseilles) July 28

FOR MANILA

Kamo Maru July 24
Pres. McKinley July 25
Potsdam (via Marseilles) July 24

FOR U.S.A.

Emp. of Canada July 24



A fusion of four political factions, announced by Father Charles E. Coughlin, the Detroit priest, may be headed by William Lemke, above, Farmer-Laborite from North Dakota, in an attempt to create a third party opposition to the Democrats and Republicans.

GOOD TOLEFREE CASE

Vigilance And Hard Work

The Corpus in the Crimston Slippers, by R. A. J. Walling. Just another Tolefree case, solved in the best Tolefree manner—no fuss, no absurd, sudden conclusions, no blundering police to give point to the wonderful perspicacity of the famous detective. Just coincidence brought Tolefree on the spot. Hard work, vigilance, and sound results did the rest.

He wasn't much interested in Jane Jobling and her "sinks," but the bearer of the cryptic message, Ronald Hudson, was quite another matter. So, too, was the almost imperceptible list of initials, particularly J.Q.F., discovered by accident on the back of the visitor's card.

This led Tolefree to Devonshire and into such a morass of mystery that he wondered whether he would ever discover the connection between Hudson, the man of mystery in London, and the so-called "suicide" in Sir Thomas Grymer's lovely home.

FOR SHANGHAI

Kaiser-I-Hind (via Siberia) July 22
Emp. of Canada July 24
Aramis July 24
Terukuni Maru July 28

FOR STRAITS AND INDIA

Ranchi July 25
Antenor July 29

FOR JAPAN

Kaiser-I-Hind July 22
Emp. of Canada July 24
Aramis July 24
Terukuni Maru July 28

FOR AUSTRALIA

R.M.A. Delphinus (Air Mail) July 24
Kamo Maru July 24

VIA SIBERIA—Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

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LATEST BOOK REVIEWS

YOUNG LIFE IN LONDON

Gay And Glamorous Tale

Challenge to Happiness, by Maysie Grief.

Would you, were you a young girl in a lodging-house, gamble away your love for the sake of a career? But then grey-eyed Sara with the bright brown hair and laughing, generous mouth, was so confident she would succeed with her gown shop. The black bogey that she might be called upon to fulfil her bargain never troubled her—at first.

Besides she believed that love was a thing that had gone out of her life. She had worshipped the handsome young playwright, Michael Fenton, who had turned her down for the famous actress, Ursula Manning. Worshipped him intensely, terribly, so that nothing that happened to her seemed to matter very much.

And where did Tom Grierson come in to all this? Tom, the tall, lanky, sandy-haired South African millionaire, who had also forsown love, but was not averse to making that preposterous bargain with Sara.

You will meet Peter Willard, the charming and amusing Society play-boy turned gossip writer. He knew the skeleton in every Mayfair cupboard and created havoc in the lives of Sara, Michael and Ursula. Ritzy Mason, the night-club hostess with her sharp tongue, cynical outlook and little girl's heart. And above all, Peggles, Sara's part time bull-terrier whose mother had made such a grievous mistake in her choice of a husband.

These are but a few of the delightful characters you will meet in this gay and glamorous tale of young life in London which is written with Maysie Grief's accustomed verve and humour.

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FAMILY LIFE IN NOVEL

Well Worked Out Story

Mother of the bride, by Alice Grant Rosman.

This is the story of the Listers: Charles, the moody, irritable father of the family; Margaret, his wife, who for years has kept the peace for their children's sake; Owen, who at 22 had married a girl of no family or connections, casually met; and Noel, his younger sister, who is carrying an officer on leave from India.

The scene is laid in the Listers' Hampstead house at the time of Noel's wedding, with bridesmaids and best man, relatives and friends coming in and out. And against this noisy and sometimes difficult background moves the mother of the bride, making all things easy.

Side by side with the gay and swift romance of Noel and her soldier, and the gradual awakening of Owen's family to the qualities of his young wife, there emerges Margaret's own story of what she means to do when the wedding is over and, as she sees it, her work is done. During two crowded days many reasons for, and against her decision are presented, but it is only in the last chapter, when the young people have gone, that the one thing she has not foreseen makes the future clear.

MURDER OF WOMAN NOVELIST

Story Backed With Thrills

No fury, by Francis Beeding.

Mias Valerie Beachamp was the sort of woman, novelist all right-minded people fly from. She was leader of a small literary society called the Esoterics, and she tyrannised over them so much that they planned revenge, but when Miss Beachamp found out that had succeeded in making a fool of her, tragedy came swiftly to her former friends. She was found murdered—and each one of those friends felt that they were suspected of the crime.

Haunted by fear of arrest and by their own consciences they were further terrorised by the murders of several of the members of their society. Not until the last page, however, does Mr. Beeding give away the clue to these mysterious deaths, and so we have here a story backed with thrills, which we are sure will delight this author's large public.

GAY ROMANTIC NOVEL

Love Story With A Difference

Honor-among Thieves, by Con cordia Merrel.

There is more than colourful and delightful romance in the story of young Patch Peters and Honour Waring. For there is also a mystery to be solved. And Patch sets himself the task of clearing up the mystery of "Red House" on the Blackwater River.

Through a chink in some rotten flooring he saw Owen Mellish intently searching, searching. And then Owen lied to him: Patch almost told Honour's uncle about it—and then was glad he had held his peace.

THRILLS AT TOP SPEED

Gang-War Along The Waterfront

The Dark Waters, by William Corcoran.

This is a brilliant and breathless thriller which starts at top speed and never slackens to the end. When Dex Ward, son of a millionaire but down on his luck, signed on as bodyguard for Teverson, a friend of his wealthier days, he along a .45 revolver in his shoulder-holster, and slipped a .25 automatic into his hip-pocket.

From that day onwards there was scarcely an hour when he did not find rapid use for one weapon or the other. A gang war along the waterfront, complicated by a restoration plot in an Eastern European country and the love of a beautiful girl, provided Dex with ample excitement in the course of a running fight in speed-boats, schooners, taxi-cabs, saloons, derelict mansions and dockside warehouses.

CULLENS FARM

Girl's Adventure In Boy's Dress

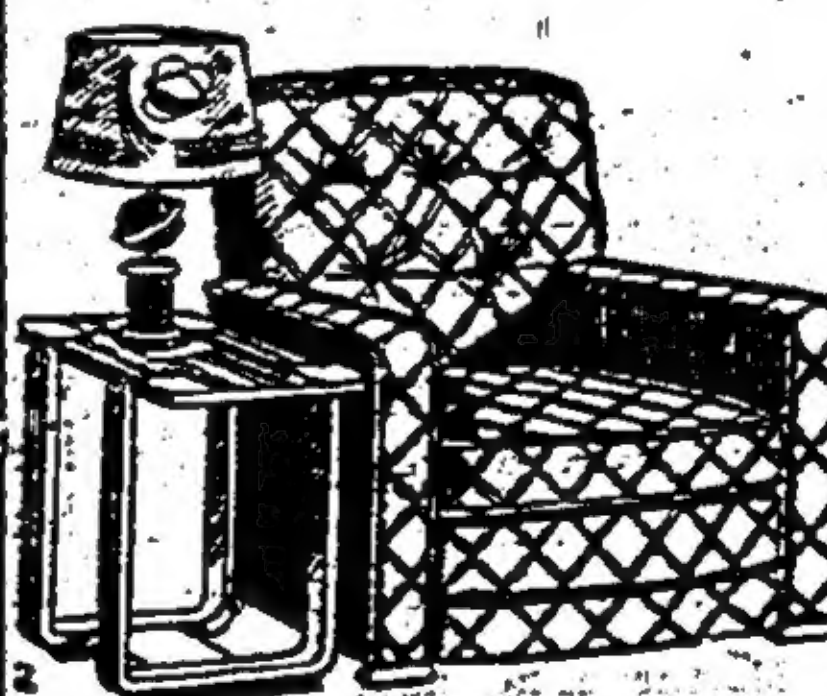
Discipline for Capid, by Elizabeth Vernon.

Shirley Graeme was the first to admit that she should not have come to Cullens Farm, disguised as a boy. Young Roddy Daintry had warned her that his brother Hugh Daintry had good reason for disliking women: and Hugh's dislike seemed to be doubled when girls dressed up as boys. Or, was it only doubled when the girl in question was found talking to Desmond Aird?

Shirley only knew the answer to that question when she came again to Cullens. And even then, it was terribly hard to explain everything to a man like Hugh, who believed in discipline for everybody working under him at Cullens Farm.

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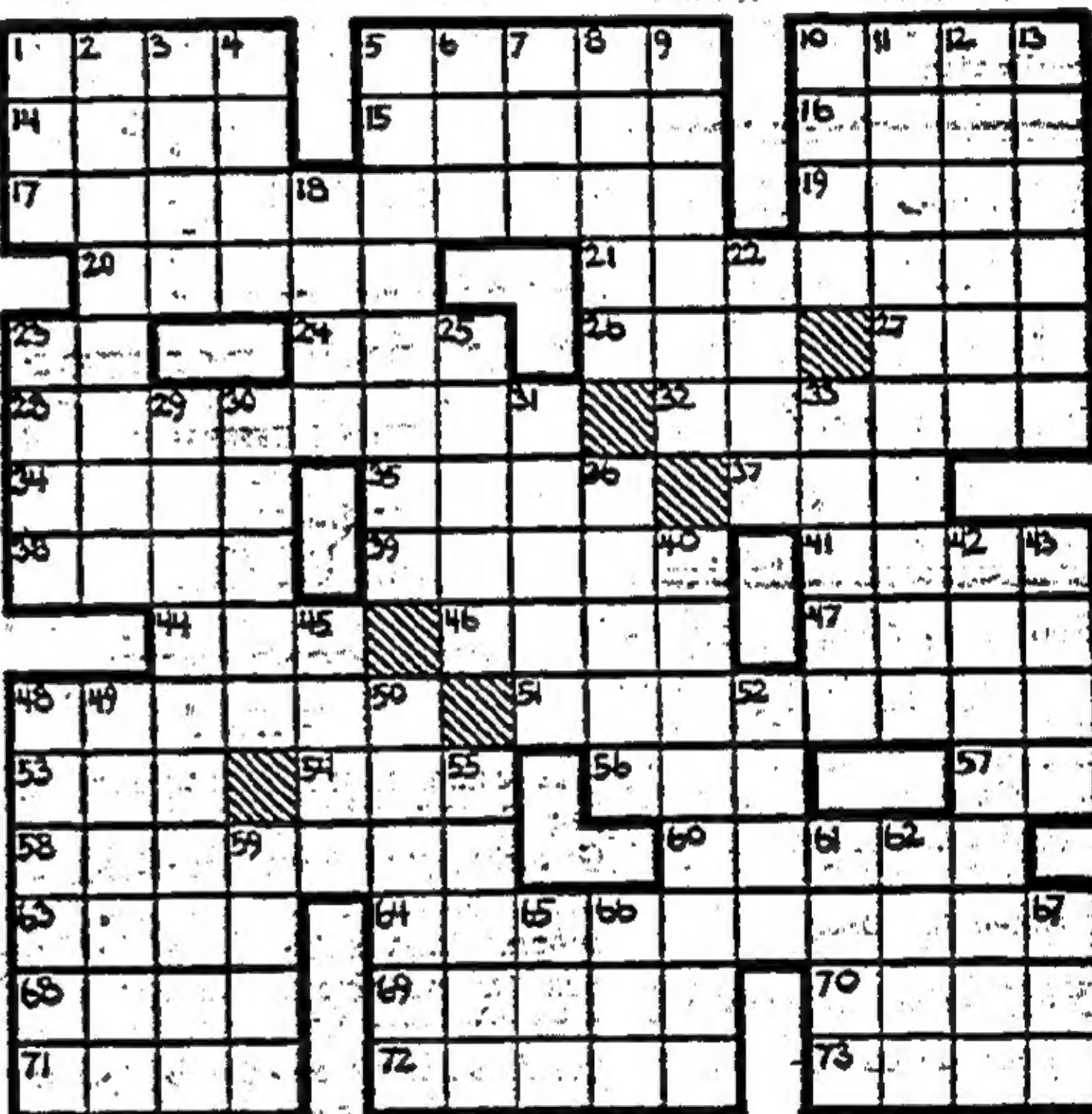
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

1-Break
5-Greek letter
10-Placed
14-Melody
15-Carry away, as property
16-At any time
17-Musical interpretation
18-Suffix. Of the kind of
20-Town in France
21-Horse's neck, bowed backward
22-Musical note
24-Employ
25-Use needle and thread
27-Diminutive suffix
28-Addressed
32-To seed again
34-Sour
35-Ireland
37-Sorrowful
38-Narrow strip of wood
39-Eats
41-Girl's name
44-The supreme god of the Babylonians
46-Feminine suffix
47-Upon the top of
48-Divides

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

51-Walked pompously
53-Tap (Obs.)
54-Naval title (abbr.)
55-Japanese coin
57-Egyptian god
58-Deposit
60-Jewish month (Bible)
63-Troubles
64-Preface indicating negation (Gram.)
68-Length measure (pl.)
69-Having ears
70-Described quantity of medicine
71-Scandinavian language
72-Save
73-Stake in cards

VERTICAL

1-Hinder
2-Peaceable
3-Row
4-Youth
5-Displeased
6-Man's name
7-A card game
8-Prongs
9-Result
10-To lend

VERTICAL (Cont.)

11-Prior in time
12-Pendent mass of ice
13-Adorned
18-Founder of Troy (Gr. Myth.)
22-Female sheep
23-Small rags
25-Weird
29-Small sour apples
30-Fur-bearing animal
31-Small depressions made by a blow
32-Wooden shoe
36-Girl's name
40-An evening song
42-Most severe
43-Soft drink
45-Sediment
48-Angry contention
49-Low-grade politician
50-A bird (pl.)
52-One
55-Narrow leather strip
58-Combining form. Bone
61-Genius of woolly herbs of the mallow family
62-River in central England
65-Man's name
66-Verse (abbr.)
67-Look

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

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DRAMATIC GOLF

HOW PADGHAM WON BRITISH OPEN TITLE

ADAMS CHEATED BY THE FATES

COTTON FAILS AT THE CRUCIAL MOMENT

(By GEORGE GREENWOOD)

London, June 29.

Alfred Padgham, of Sundridge Park, Bromley, Kent, won the British Open Championship with a total of 287, at Hoylake, on Saturday. His four rounds were: 73, 72, 71, 71.

James Adams, of Romford, Essex, was second with 288, a stroke behind, while Henry Cotton and Marcel Dallemagne, of St. Germain, Paris, tied for third place with 289. Gene Sarazen, the famous American player, was 291, four shots behind the winner.

About 20,000 people, the biggest crowd ever seen on an English golf course, saw the triumph of Padgham, who had been a popular favourite from the first day. His victory follows a remarkable series of successes, starting with the Match-Play Championship last autumn, which in one way and another have produced for him £1,500 in prize-money.

Worth £3,000

Walter Hagen estimated that the British Open Championship was worth £10,000 to him, though the actual sum in cash which goes with the Cup is only £100. While it is not to be supposed that Padgham will be able to exploit his success to the same extent, a reasonable estimate is in the neighbourhood of £3,000.

Padgham, who will be 30 next month, learned his golf at Warley Woods, Birmingham, where his father is the professional. For some time he was assistant at Ashdown Forest, a notable nursery of distinguished golfers, the chief of whom is Abe Mitchell. Padgham is now in partnership with Randall at Sundridge Park.

Terrific Nerve Test

In its closing stages no championship had been packed with more thrills or more dramatic situations. Sarazen's dictum was proved correct. "I like to post my score first, and let the other fellows shoot at it; they break in the end," he says.

This is precisely what happened. Padgham was the first of the favourites to finish; his score of 287 was on the board for the others to aim at. It was a desperate business.

There was Adams, a burly young Scotsman, who fought with grim determination. Following a discouraging start, he pulled himself together in such gallant fashion that he wanted an average of 4's for the last three holes in order to tie.

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11,500 GUINEAS PAID FOR RADIANT OWN

London, July 15.—Miss Dorothy Paget, the well-known race-horse owner, to-day purchased the yearling Radiant Own, sister to Windsor Lad, winner of the Derby and St. Leger in 1934, at the Newmarket bloodstock sales. The purchase price was 11,500 guineas, which is the highest sum paid for a yearling since 1923.

BAD LUCK DODGES U.S. OLYMPIC TEAMS

New York, July 15.—The liner Manhattan sailed for Europe to-day, carrying the full membership of the American teams for the Olympic Games at Berlin. A few hours after the vessel sailed, a radio message was received here that Harold Smallwood, national 400-metre track champion, had appendicitis.—United Press.



Max Schmeling scaled 192 pounds and Joe Louis 198 as they weighed in a few minutes before their fight at Yankee Stadium in New York City last month. The result proved to be the biggest sensation since James Braddock outpointed Max Baer for the title—Schmeling knocked out Louis in the 12th round.

Riddell's Fine Record



J. S. RIDDELL, the Police bowler, was a keen Rugby player in his younger days, and when in the Army was for several years a member of his regiment's team. He was born at Melrose, Scotland—the home of seven-sided rugby—and played in the Municipal Public School League for Glasgow Public School. He joined the King's Own Scottish Borderers in 1923 and soon found his way into the regimental team as a second row forward, playing in the United Services competitions at Deonport.

He was the leading player of the K.O.S.B. while in Egypt, and, when the regiment arrived in Hong Kong, played for the Army here in the Triangular Tournament matches. He later played for the Club after joining the Hong Kong Police, playing in the Interport game against Shanghai in Hong Kong in 1926.

Riddell took a keen interest in the now defunct Kowloon Rugby Club and played for them for one season.

Riddell took up bowls in 1929, but as the Police had only a senior team then he played only occasionally in the League, but he now plays regularly as a skip for the second team.

CHAMPION BEATEN UNOFFICIALLY

New York, July 15.—Carolus "Baby" Quintana, Panama Indian and bantamweight champion of Central America, to-day earned a decision over Sixto Escobar, recognized by the National Boxing Association as the bantamweight champion of the world. Escobar's title was not at stake, however, as both fighters entered the ring over the bantamweight limit.—United Press.

ENGLISH RUGBY TOURISTS WIN ROUGH GAME

Armidale, N.S.W., July 16.—The English Rugby League team touring Australia to-day beat the North Districts by 19 points to 15. The game was marred by rough play.

LEAGUE TENNIS RULING NEEDS REVISION

PLAYING OF SENIOR PLAYERS IN JUNIOR GAMES

(By "ACE")

I WILL begin my notes this week with an appeal to the Hong Kong Tennis Association to do something to stop the all too frequent practice of playing senior players in junior teams to "stiffen up the side" in matches of importance. The present ruling is that players who have not played more than one game in a senior team are allowed to play for the juniors. This is decidedly wrong, and unless the clubs are willing to adhere to an unwritten law not to countenance such a practice, the L.T.A. should insist on the registration of players in each division, and any infringement should be made punishable by the forfeiture of the points concerned.

TRIANGULAR AQUATIC GALA AT "Y" TO-NIGHT

Y.M.C.A. Teams Are Selected

PROGRAMME OF SIX EVENTS

(By "CRAWL")

The following are the "Y" teams for to-night's triangular aquatic gala at the European Y.M.C.A., commencing at 9.15 p.m., and for which an admission fee of 50 cents will be charged:

200 Yards Relay (Teams of 8)
F. J. Anslow, N. J. Booker, E. Fowler, G. Miller, F. V. Read, H. Millington, G. Arnold and H. G. Lange.

200 Yards Relay (Team of 4)
R. Goldman, A. Keown, H. G. Lange and F. J. Anslow.

125 Yards Relay-Medley
H. G. Lange (Free Style), A. Keown (Back-Stroke), A. Leppard (Breast-Stroke), E. F. Selk (Under-Water) and R. Goldman (Free Style).
Diving
E. F. Selk and J. Millin.

Water-Polo (Selected teams)
"A" Team—S. Fowler; W. Stoker and Shearman; H. G. Lange; R. Goldman, L/Cpl. McCarthy and Grindley.

"B" Team—Ormerod; L/Cpl. Gorman and Spr. Revell; L. Calvert; F. V. Read, L/Cpl. Pearce and Pte. Butterworth.

There will also be a second game of water-polo, the teams for which will be announced later.

The following are the events:

200 Yards Free Style Relay (Teams of 8 each man 25 Yards).
200 Yards Free Style Relay (Teams of 4 each man 50 Yards).

Members' 50 Yards—Aggregate Handicap.
125 Yards-Medley Relay (Teams of 5 one 25 Yards Free Style, one 25 Yards Back-Stroke, one 25 Yards Breast-Stroke, one 25 Yards Under-Water, one 25 Yards Free Style).

Diving (Teams of two)—Two Set dives—One Running Plain dive off lower board, One Running Jack-Knife off lower board and one optional off lower board—and repeat same off high board.

Water-Polo—Teams to be selected from Royal Engineers, East Lancashire Regiment and European "Y."

The League tennis matches during the past week were conspicuous for the high standard of play, and in some cases the improvement shown by the players was remarkable. For instance, M. O. Hoosen, who was promoted to the Indian Recreation Club "A" team only this summer, has shown that the confidence placed in him by the selection committee of the Club has been more than justified.

Another young player to be in the limelight is J. J. Consaves, of the Recreio. These two have a great future before them and with more experience in First Division tennis should prove to be well-nigh indispensable to their respective clubs.

Recreio's Fine Feat

Although they do not seem to have any chance in the "A" and "B" Divisions of the League, the Recreio may feel well compensated by the fine showing their "C" team put up against South China Athletic Association in their recent League encounter. Included in the ranks of the Chinese team were two ranking players from Canton—Chan and Seto, who were expected to win their three sets, and the other two pairs were depended upon to bring in the other two sets required for victory. The importation of outside players did not help them one bit in this particular case, however, for the Recreio lads caused a minor sensation by taking the points from them and thus virtually winning the title.

Time For L.T.A. Action

And while on this subject, it is pertinent to ask if the Hong Kong Tennis Association intend to take any steps calculated to put a stop to this practice of seeking outside help. In the case in point, the two players thus imported were two of the leading exponents of the game in Canton and their inclusion might easily have robbed the Recreio of a well-deserved win. If this practice is allowed to continue, then it would be far more desirable to introduce the system of registration of players, as in the case of soccer and baseball.

In the match in question, the Noronha brothers, G. A. and E. A. were chiefly responsible for Recreio's win. They won two of their

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Reached Last Eight



A. M. OMAR

RECREIO v. K.C.C. TO-DAY

"B" Tennis Clash To-day

KEEN GAME PROMISED

A very interesting tennis programme in the "B" Division of the League has been arranged for this afternoon and the best game will undoubtedly be that between Recreio and the Kowloon Cricket Club.

The home team went down by 6 sets to 3 to the Chinese Recreation Club when they played off their postponed fixture last week, and now that their confidence has been shaken somewhat, it will not come altogether as a surprise to see the K.C.C. winning, though they will have to show very much improved form to do so.

The C.R.C. "A" should have no difficulty in taking the points from the University, but their "over 40" team should fall before Craignower.

The following is to-day's programme of matches, commencing at 5.15 p.m.:

C.R.C. "B" v. C.C.C. (Causeway Bay).
Recreio v. K.C.C. (King's Park).
H.K.C.C. v. I.R.C. (Chater Road).
C.S.C.C. v. C.B.A. (Happy Valley).
University v. C.R.C. "A" (Pokfulam).

"C" Division

(TO-MORROW)
K.I.T.C. v. University.
C.R.C. v. K.T.G.C.A.
C.S.C.C. v. K.C.C. "A".
R.C.C. "B" v. I.R.C.
Army v. S.C.A.A.
C.C.C. v. Recreio.

"D" Division

(FRIDAY)
R.C.C. v. S.C.A.A.
K.C.C. v. G.R.A.
Army v. C.C.C.
I.R.C. v. K.I.T.C.

GRIMMITT WINS BY SIX SHOTS

LACK OF EXPERIENCE BEATS LOSER

ALVES ELIMINATES NORONHA

(By "Referee")

LACK of experience, more than anything else, led to the downfall of A. M. Omar, the Craignower Cricket Club bowler, when he met A. W. Grimmitt, of the Civil Service Cricket Club, in the quarter-finals of the Lawn Bowls Open Singles Championship on the Hong Kong Football Club green last evening, the score in favour of the 1934 champion being 21-15.

Without belittling Grimmitt's effort, it must be said that he was a shade lucky to win by the margin of six shots, for had not Omar made a fatal mistake on the 19th end, anything might have happened.

Grimmitt was then leading 19-15 and when Omar had one more wood to bowl, it was obvious that a measure was necessary before the umpire could decide who had the shot. Instead of "drawing" with his last wood, Omar drove, carried the "jack" and gave Grimmitt the required shots for victory!

The match was a repetition, on a smaller scale, of the Coates-Hyde Lay contest on the previous day. Grimmitt ran away to a 14-1 lead on the 8th end, but Omar fought back and had actually come within two shots of his opponent by the time the 17th end was reached. Allowing a great opportunity slip through his fingers, however, he paid the full penalty for it.

Grimmitt played good bowls at the start and then slackened off for a few heads. He was not showing the best form of which he is capable, while Omar seemed overawed by the importance of the occasion.

Detailed scores were as follows:

Head	A. M. Omar	A. W. Grimmitt
1	0	2
2	0	1
3	0	2
4	0	1
5	1	0
6	0	1
7	0	1
8	0	1
9	2	3
10	3	6
11	1	7
12	2	9
13	0	9
14	0	11
15	0	11
16	3	14
17	1	15
18	0	15
19	0	15

Alves Wins Over Noronha

LOSER LEADS 19-17 THEN BEATEN 22-19

In the other quarter-final match in the Open Singles Lawn Bowls Championship, played at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club yesterday, H. A. Alves beat J. E. Noronha by 22 shots to 19.

Detailed scores were as follows:

Head	H. A. Alves	J. E. Noronha
1	2	2
2	0	2
3	0	2
4	0	2
5	0	2
6	0	2
7	0	5
8	0	5
9	0	5
10	1	9
11	3	12
12	0	12
13	0	12
14	0	12
15	0	12
16	0	12
17	0	12
18	3	15
19	2	17
20	2	19
21	3	22

TO-DAY'S LAWN BOWLS

Only One Game On Programme

Only one game in the Lawn Bowls Open Pairs Championship has been arranged for this afternoon, this being the semi-final clash between S. Randle and E. Duncan of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, and W. Greig and W. Mair of the Police Recreation Club, the game being scheduled to start at 5.15 p.m. on the Civil Service Cricket Club green. A. W.



CRAIGENGOWER TEAMS

Bowls League Games Next Saturday

The following are Craignower's Lawn Bowls League teams for Saturday:

"A" team v. I.R.C. (away)

A. M. Omar, L. C. C. Souza, A. E. Coates and R. F. Luz (skip).
A. S. Gomes, J. Cavanagh, D. Burnham and U. M. Omar (skip).
J. S. Landolt, Dr. V. N. Atienza, C. S. Rossetti and R. Basa (skip).

"B" team v. K.C.C. (home)

J. W. Leonard, H. W. Randall, K. M. Omar and W. K. Way (skip).
J. R. Soares, W. Phelps, C. S. Summons and W. Gill (skip).
A. J. Coelho, E. W. Whiteman, H. V. Pearce and W. V. Field (skip).

"C" team v. H.K.F.C. "A" (away)

D. K. Kharas, F. X. Delgado, J. Pau and A. E. S. Alves (skip).
Dr. H. P. Karanjia, E. McNay, F. J. Bagley and W. Ward (skip).
A. B. Hamson, F. J. Smith, J. Fitzgerald and Y. Abbas (skip).

Reserves: A. J. Flynn, W. H. Atkins and H. J. Tollervey.

K.C.C. BOWLS TEAMS

FOR SATURDAY

Match Against C.C.C. "B" in Premier League

The following are the Kowloon Cricket Club Lawn Bowls League teams for Saturday:

First Team v. C.C.C. "B" (away)

J. Gittens, T. Ferguson, W. J. Geall and E. C. Fincher (skip).
G. Lee, R. J. Craig, F. Goodwin and A. Hyde-Lay (skip).
H. Overby, W. C. Leitch, N. Bebbington and A. E. Silkestone (skip).

Second Team v. H.K.F.C. "B" (at home)

J. Dinnen, A. Nissim, S. Houghton and A. Spary (skip).
C. Fletcher, W. Mulcahy, T. Carr and J. M. Jack (skip).
L. Jack, W. W. Hirst, L. Lammert and R. P. Phillips (skip).

H.K. ELECTRIC TEAM

The following are the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club Bowls League rink for Saturday, against Club de Recreio at King's Park:

W. E. Orchard, G. G. S. Thomson, W. Stoker and W. H. B. Masket (skip).
A. F. Tarback, T. P. Sanderson, J. Sloan and J. F. Lumy (skip).
V. Sorby, J. L. King, G. T. Padgett and S. Deacon (skip).

Reserve—H. S. Jones.

Grimmitt, the 1934 singles champion, will umpire.

Both Duncan and Mair are very seasoned players, and they will probably be seen in a very evenly contested fight as their respective No. 1's, Randle and Greig, though not nearly as experienced, can nevertheless be depended upon to give a good account of themselves. This is one match where it would be difficult to make any forecast.

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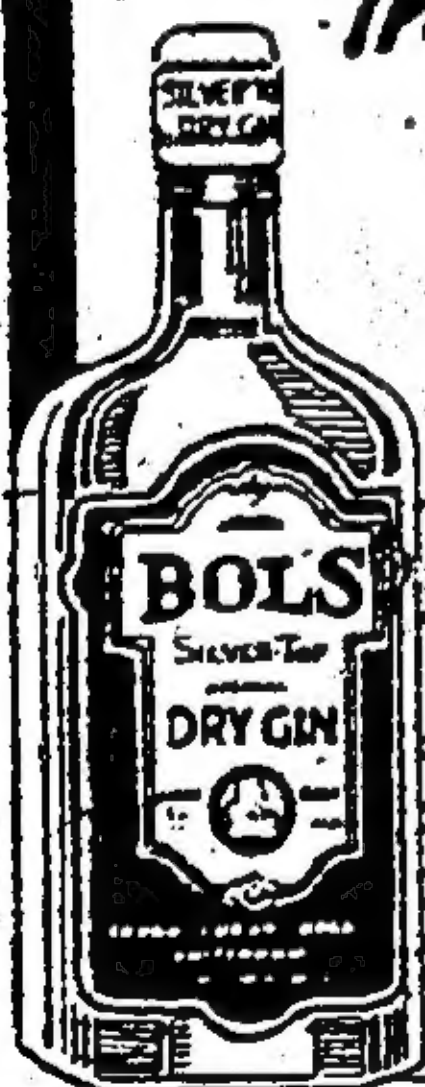
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THIRD DAY WIMBLEDON ENCOUNTERS

PERRY, BUDGE AND
CRAWFORD SHOW
FINE FORMHUGHES & MAKO HAVE
BAD LUCK

MISS YORKE ELIMINATED

(By A. WALLIS MEYERS)

London, June 25.

INTEREST at Wimbledon visibly quickened yesterday. After all, the men's singles, the senior event, is the piece de resistance, and its resumption, after a day's interval, brought overflowing galleries and a keen desire to see the big men in action. The seeded eight were all keyed-up for stern combat, and all came through, with one exception, without sacrificing a set. That the champion would be found among them was certain. But who the survivor will be on Saturday week relative form did nothing to solve.

If F. J. Perry satisfied his supporters by his rampant progress against Siam's only representative, Crawford and Budge were equally accomplished; Allison, if less free from error, was the stubborn gladiator, Baron Von Cramm the efficient winner of earned points, and "Betsy" Grant the only one to start unsteadily.

The holder spent more time at the net than usual. He dashed the hopes of Chartkavani mainly by deadly volleys, these close-quarter thrusts shortening the rallies and conserving energy.

One took this more forward base as a probable sign that Perry anticipates a frontal attack in the vital battles that are to come.

The champion has won most of his triumphs as a volleyer. If he can get in close again—before the other man—his defence of the title may succeed again. Hence this rehearsal yesterday.

Budge Convincing

But Budge and Crawford had also lifted their game for the testing tasks ahead. I have never seen the American play with such convincing assurance and with so much finishing power as he revealed in his match with Ian Collins.

The Scot's mobility may not have been as great as it was before his equestrian accident; he was virtually helpless before a stream of co-ordinated strokes, each with purpose and power behind it.

Collins of course, is handicapped with a defensive backhand; it would not be fair to judge Budge by his display yesterday against unequal forces.

But one salient feature stood out. The Californian is a much greater player this year than last because he now uses the stop volley as a surprise variant to the deeper thrust. He blends finesse with force; he is more the artist and less the athlete.

Hare's Gallant Effort

In Charles Hare, Crawford found a very capable opponent, who declined to be demoralised by the flashes of sheer genius on the other side of the net that would have unsteadied an older player.

He earned every one of the eleven games taken from the Australian, for Crawford, out to burnish up all his weapons, was given nothing away.

The first two sets were closer than the score suggests. Hare's agile volleying forced many deuces. And the third was a vantage set with Crawford fighting hard not to lose it.

Hare was beaten by a greater player, but he was seven years Crawford's junior and with only limited experience. Hare is the most promising 20-year-old in England today.

Hecht Handicapped

The German champion, on the centre court for the time, was not inclined to press unduly against Hecht and one got the impression that he was holding his forces in reserve.

This may be wise tactics if he meets Crawford on Monday, but there were lapses on the forehand which indicated that a top-spin ball, shooting low on turf, is a relative novelty with which von Cramm has yet to become thoroughly reconciled.

M.C.C. AND LARWOOD

The M.C.C. contributed 25 guineas to Harold Larwood's benefit fund. Larwood took his benefit in the Nottingham v. Yorkshire match on July 18.

The young Czech, for his part, appeared to be a little worried by the fact that, anxious to pay a tribute to the traditions of the centre court (though modern practice had already broken them), he had exchanged his familiar "shorts" for a brand new pair of duck trousers.

His movements appeared to be restricted in consequence, and the diversion of pulling away strange linen from his legs upset his aim occasionally.

Nevertheless, though the court was even faster, Hecht reproduced many of those masterly backhand drives that had caught Budge napping at Queen's, and he put up a fight well worthy of an opponent who was out to concede nothing.

All-American Battle

The All-American battle between Allison and Jones was a very grim and spectacular affair. The offensive power was mutual, and at no moment was there a regulation British rally.

David Jones lost the 24-game first set rather unluckily; his great saving shots deserved it. He was 5-2 down against the best Allison, but so well did he serve and volley in the next phase that he created an Allison far less confident and secure.

The score level at five all, the fight for the vital break-through of the service began. The rallies were controlled by the first blow and each man "aced" the other with militant authority. But at the beginning of the 19th game, Jones, slipping on new turf, came down heavily on his shoulder, to be momentarily dazed.

Obviously Rattled

He picked himself up to continue the still squared fight, only to find himself a few moments later a game down and the author of three double faults in a row.

His retort at this stage drew a burst of cheering; both Columbia and Cambridge, where he was educated, would have admired it. He served an ace and made two

brilliant volleys on the run, eventually winning the game.

But Jones' fall and Allison's insistent ardour, always mounting under challenge, made this long first set the crux of the match.

Jones presented many points to the Texan in the next two sets by double-faulting, and with his spear-head thus blunted he could not hope to keep on level terms.

Austin's Confident Form

Austin had an Australian victim in Clifford Sproule, and there was nothing remarkable about his play except that he seemed to find his new streamlined racket an aid to mobility. I can only suggest that, resembling a miniature ski, it may have turned his thoughts to a more bracing climate.

He won the first set with a safe margin, the second under pressure, and the third with the confidence that he had run into his best form.

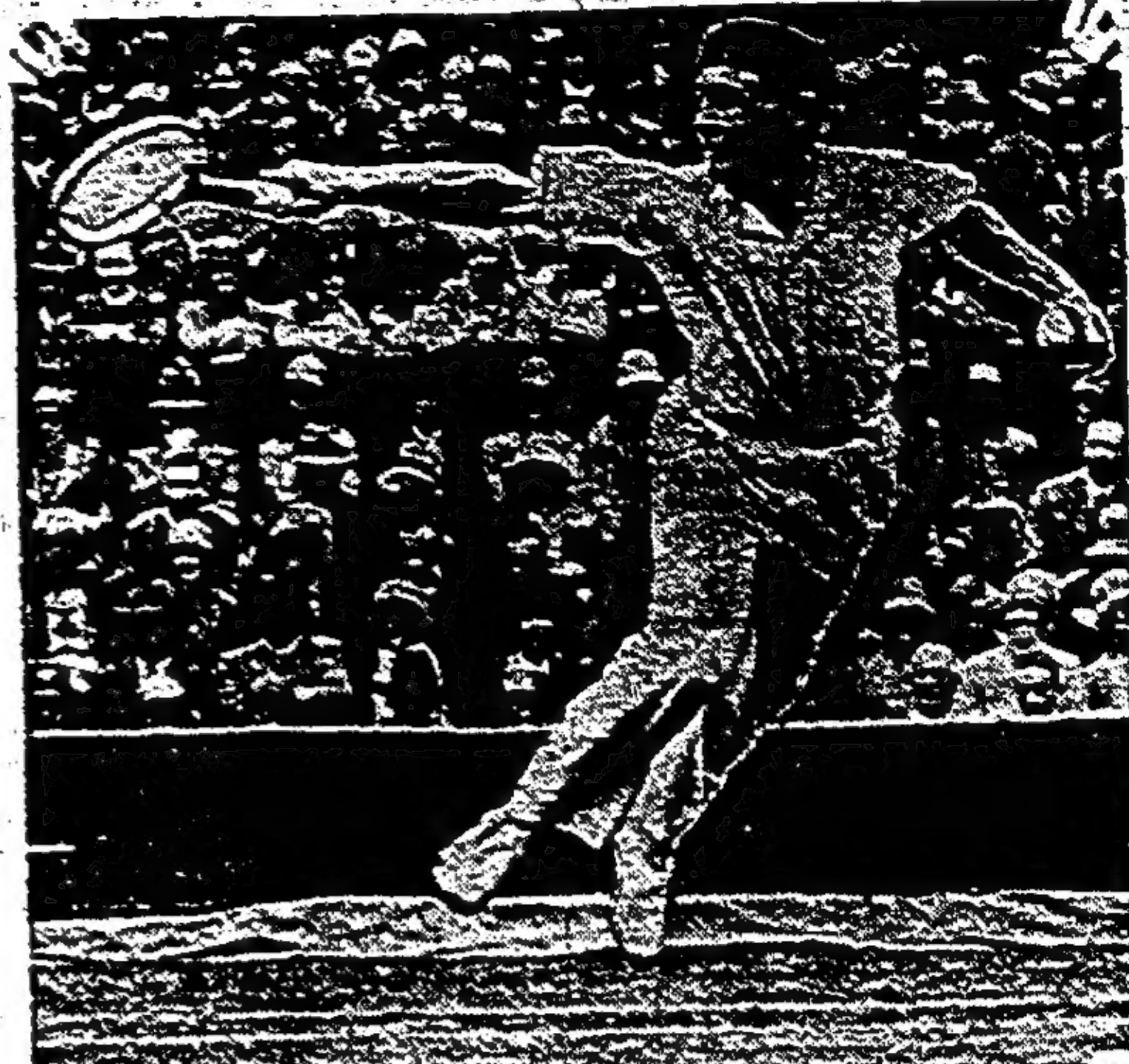
The new Australian champion, Adrian Quist, played with unexpected restraint against Max Ellmer. Until his service had found its length and his volleys more decision, the Swiss held him. But in the second and third sets, having discovered that Ellmer's backhand was much the weaker wing, Quist had a serene passage.

Two Casualties

Two casualties were reported. The more serious was that of Gene Mako, who, having pulled a muscle in his shoulder during the strenuous doubles match of the previous evening, was forced to concede a walk-over to Boussus.

The Californian is in the doctor's hands, but hopes to play in the doubles with Budge to-morrow. The second mishap occurred to Brugnion, who, when opposing his compatriot Lesueur, raised such a bad blister on his thumb that he had to retire. The Frenchman had been on the edge of victory in the fourth set, and carried on as long as he could in the fifth.

Borotra arrived by plane from Paris to find his partner handicapped for their doubles match. Luckily, Borotra's valet produced



Jean Borotra, above, took a plane from Paris for his first Round doubles match only to find his partner, Jacques Brugnon, badly in need of sticking plaster as the result of a nasty blister on his thumb. Borotra's valet came to the rescue.



"Betsy" Grant, above, dropped the first set when opposed to the 1933 British junior champion.

S. Mavrogordato (G.B.), 6-1, 6-1.
Miss E. E. Stammers (G.B., nom.),
bt Miss A. A. Wright (G.B.), 6-3,
6-0.
Miss J. Saunders (G.B.) bt Miss R.
Jarvis (G.B.), 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.
Mrs. M. R. King (G.B.) bt Miss A.
E. L. McOstrich (G.B.), 6-0, 4-6,
6-3.

Miss S. Noel (G.B.) bt Miss M. Slaney
(G.B.), 6-2, 6-2.
Miss R. M. Hardwick (G.B., nom.),
bt Miss J. Ingram (G.B.), 6-1, 7-5.
Mrs. D. B. Andrus (U.S.A.) bt Mrs.
K. Bowden (G.B.), 6-4, 7-5.

Mme. R. Mathieu (France) bt Miss
E. M. Dearman (G.B.), 6-3, 6-2.
Miss G. Curtis (G.B.) bt Mrs. E. C.
Peters (G.B.), 6-2, 6-3.

Miss N. Adams (Belgium) bt Mrs.
W. D. List (G.B.), 6-3, 6-3.
Mrs. G. Babcock (U.S.A.) bt Mrs. E.
V. Fontes (G.B.), 6-2, 6-3.

Frau H. Sperling (Denmark) bt Miss
P. O'Connell (G.B.), 7-5, 6-2.
Mme. J. de Menlemaester (Belgium)
bt Miss A. M. Verke (G.B.), 6-4,
6-1.

Miss F. James (G.B.) bt Miss P. M.
Weekes (G.B.), 7-9, 6-3, 6-2.
Miss J. Jedzejowska (Poland) bt
Miss J. Mowbray Green (G.B.),
6-2, 6-2.

Miss M. E. Lund (G.B.) bt Miss G.
M. Scottwell (G.B.), 6-3, 6-3.
Mrs. G. Lewis (G.B.) bt Miss M. G.
Hargreaves (G.B.), 6-3, 6-2.

Miss M. Horn (German) bt Miss V. E.
Scott (G.B.), 8-6, 6-2.
Mme. S. Hemmion (France) bt Miss
G. K. Osborne (G.B.), 6-4, 6-2.

Mrs. J. B. Pittman (G.B.) bt Mrs. F.
M. Strawn (G.B.), 6-3, 7-5.
Miss M. R. Conquerque (Netherlands)
bt Miss J. Morley (G.B.), 6-4,
6-1.

MEN'S DOUBLES
(Holders: J. H. Crawford and A. K.
Quist, Australia.)
FIRST ROUND
J. Borotra and J. Brugnon bt C. F.
O. Lister and N. Taylor, 6-3, 6-2,
6-2.

MIXED DOUBLES
(Holders: F. J. Perry and Miss D. E.
Round, G.B.)
FIRST ROUND
R. von Planer and P. E. Krus
bt N. Melland and Miss D. A. Hunt-
bach, 6-1, 6-2.

G. D. Stratford and Mrs. P. Bruton
bt E. Itch and Mrs. J. N. Cooper,
6-3, 6-2.

E. Maier and Mrs. J. Ingram bt E.
J. Ritchie and Miss E. H. Harvey,
6-3, 6-3.

A. U. Stedman and Miss M. Heeley
bt H. Billington, and Miss M. B.
Robson, 6-0, 6-2.

D. Frenn and Miss E. M. Dearman
bt G. P. Hughes and Miss N. M. Lyle,
6-3, 6-4.

H. Van Swol and Miss S. Paterson
bt R. C. Wackett and Mrs. C. M. B.
Marriott, 6-1, 7-5.

M. D. Deleford and Miss N. E.
Brown bt G. M. Jones and Miss P. J.
Owen, 6-3, 6-4, 7-5.

J. S. Olliv and Miss B. Nuthall
bt R. A. Shaves and Miss I. Cater, 6-3,
6-4, 7-5.

H. G. N. Lee and Miss F. James
bt J. Haines and Mrs. E. Macready,
6-2, 6-2.

J. Van Ryn and Mrs. J. Van Ryn
bt J. Lesueur and Mrs. E. E. Haylock,
6-4, 6-4.

H. Surface and Mrs. D. E. Andrus
bt L. H. Wheatcroft and Mrs. L. H.
Wheatcroft, 6-3, 7-9, 6-3.

SECOND ROUND
D. Budge and Mrs. M. Fabryen bt
T. G. McVeigh and Miss H. Wallis,
6-1, 7-5; J. S. Comery and Miss M.
Riddell bt S. H. Hawkins and Miss T.
Kingsbury, 6-3, 6-6, 6-2.

Full details of the Davis Cup
match will be found on Page 18.

WATTS FIT AGAIN
Watts, the Surrey bowler, who
injured a thigh muscle against
Glamorgan at the Oval on June 10,
has reported fit.

NEW NORTHANTS PLAYER
In their match against War-
wickshire last month Northants
county included in their team
for the first time D. W. A. Vann,
an all-rounder who has been pro-
minent in club cricket.



L. Hecht, seen above standing between W. C. Hung and Ho Ka-lan, before his exhibition doubles match with R. Maxwell in the Colony last year, paid tribute to the traditions of the centre court by exchanging his familiar "shorts" for a brand new pair of duck trousers. His movements were restricted in consequence, and von Cramm won 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.

WOMEN'S SINGLES

(Holder: Mrs. F. S. Moody, U.S.A.)

SECOND ROUND

Sta. A. Lazans (Chile) bt Miss A.

Baumgarten (Hungary), 6-1, 6-1.

Miss H. Wallis (Cleveland) bt Miss M.

Wittensstrom (Sweden), 3-4, 6-0.


Miss M. Heeley (G.B.) bt Mrs. R. E.

Haylock (G.B.), 6-3, 6-4.

Miss E. N. S. Dickin (G.B.) bt Miss

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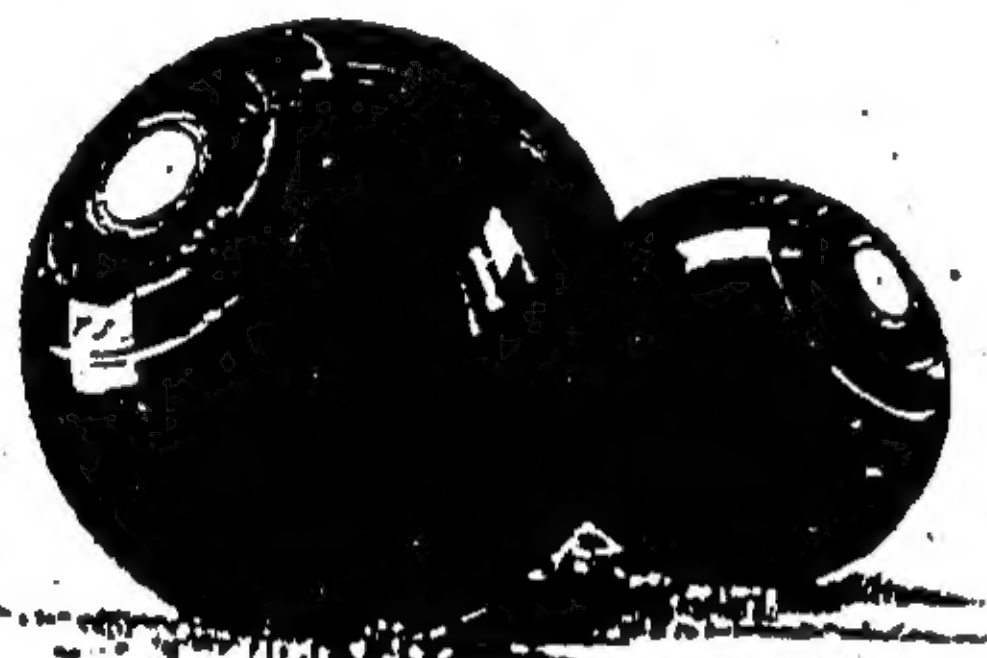
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Hong Kong, Wednesday, July 22, 1936

Ensuring The B.B.C.'s Independence

In the main the Government have accepted the recommendations of Lord Ullswater's Broadcasting Committee which advised that the charter of the B.B.C. should be extended for another ten years. They agree that the B.B.C. has conducted its operations with prudence and idealism to the general satisfaction of the country, and they are satisfied that its foundations were well and truly laid. Even in the quarters where the fetish of nationalisation is most slavishly worshipped there is no real demand for full Government ownership and a completely nationalised broadcasting service, as in Germany, Italy or Russia. So satisfied, indeed, are the Government with the proven results of the B.B.C. that they decline to endorse one of the principal changes suggested by the Committee and the one which has occasioned most public discussion. That was the proposal that "responsibility for the cultural side of broadcasting should be transferred to a Cabinet Minister in the House of Commons, preferably a senior member of the Government and free from heavy departmental responsibilities."

At first sight that recommendation seemed to possess strong attractions, and it can very plausibly be argued that such "responsibility" as exists should be entrusted to a Cabinet Minister who carries special weight with his colleagues. On the other hand, there is rarely any senior Cabinet Minister in the Commons without heavy departmental responsibilities except an occasional Chancellor of the Duchy or, still more rarely, President of the Council, and both those posts are most frequently assigned to members of the House of Lords. The real point, however, as the Memorandum indicates, is that such a Minister would necessarily find himself more and more obliged to exercise actual control over the B.B.C., which is precisely what the Government wish to avoid. By declining the proposed change the Government emphasise their conviction that the less they attempt to exercise control over the B.B.C. the better.

Public opinion desires above all things an impartial, non-propagandist B.B.C. It does not want the Corporation's own editorial comment on current affairs, and the Government propose to extend to its publications the restriction already applied to its broadcast programmes. It has also been decided that "sponsored" programmes shall be forbidden, as direct advertisements already are. The B.B.C. has from the first incurred the gratitude of listeners by declining to finance its programmes from the proceeds of the spoken advertisement, but the Ullswater Committee contemplated the possibility that television might be assisted through its initial stages by this kind of aid. It seems, quite unnecessary, and that is the view the Government have taken. Sound broadcasting proved equal to standing upon its own feet, and there is no reason why television should be more weakly. The system of licensing the Relay Exchanges is extended for three years, but subject to express provisions which give the licensees plain warning that their wires only exist under the shadow of the "abhorred

EXPLANATIONS OF TO-DAY'S CARTOON

A Strange Confederate Statue

THE United Daughters of the Confederacy in 1907 erected a monument in Court House Park, Bennettsville, South Carolina, on the front of which is this inscription: "1861. Erected 1907. 303 of Marlboro's Noble Sons sacrificed their lives on the battlefield, in prison, and by disease. Our Confederate dead." But the soldier image atop the monument is that of a Union soldier. The mistake was made by the Italian sculptor. The base of the monument faces the court house as did the soldier image, but when the mistake was discovered, the soldier was turned around to face the other way.

Church On A Precipice

ON the island of Terceira, one of the Azores Islands, there is a small church built on the edge of a precipice 300 feet high, in such a manner that it seems to defy all laws of gravity, appearing to have scarcely any support for its foundation. It is the shrine of the Senhora da Boa Viagem. The legend about the church is that years ago a fishing boat was lost in the storm and for three nights a fisherman's wife went to the precipice and prayed with outstretched arms to the Senhora da Boa Viagem for its safe return. On the fourth day, the fishermen returned, and as a tribute of thanks the people erected the shrine to the fisherman's wife.

LOCAL TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

One Person Killed Last Week

RAN ACROSS ROAD

In the Colony of Hong Kong, including the Island, Kowloon and the New Territories, during the week ended at 8 a.m. on Saturday last, there were altogether 54 traffic accidents, as the result of which one person was killed and 23 persons were injured.

The person killed, a Chinese male, aged 19 years, ran across the street in front of a moving motor-lorry and was fatally injured.

Of the persons injured, 16 were pedestrians who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

Three bus passengers and one tramcar passenger were injured while alighting from moving motor-buses and a moving tramcar respectively.

One private motor-car driver was injured when his vehicle collided with a tramway standard.

One bus passenger was injured when the vehicle was suddenly stopped.

Three vehicle drivers and three passengers were injured as the result of collisions between vehicles. Of the 54 accidents, 20 were collisions between vehicles; 21 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; and 13 accidents were due to other causes.

GALLANT RESCUE AT BRIGHTON

Unemployed Man Dives To Help Schoolboy

George Redman, unemployed, of Brighton, dived fully clothed into the sea near the Palace Pier, Brighton, last month, to rescue an 11-year-old schoolboy named Frederick Barton.

The boy fell from a groyne and was in danger of being swept out to sea. Crowds of people watched the rescue. The boy was taken to hospital suffering from shock.

shears." The upshot, therefore, of the recent investigation by the Committee and the review of their recommendations by the Government is that the B.B.C. is guaranteed a fresh for 10 years on conditions quite clearly understood on both sides.

Here There and Everywhere

MANNERS MAKE MEN

American women have formed a society called "Splwebtohe" for short. Its name stands for "Society for the Protection of Ladies Whose Eyes have been Blacked by Gentlemen taking off Hats in Elevators."

It is an allied society to the men's recently formed "Aptohes," which stands for "Association for the Prevention of Taking off Hats in Elevators"—a courtesy demanded by tradition in America. President Roosevelt, when informed of the creation of the women's society at a White House Press conference, laughed and threatened to put all such societies under Government control.

Your Daily Smile!

Cheery Spectacle
"Well, I did my good deed to-day—made at least a hundred people more cheerful."
"How was that?"
"I chased my hat when the wind blew it down the street."

Hurumph!
"My education cost me one thousand pounds."
"Yes, one doesn't get much for money nowadays."

SENSE OF FITNESS
Two girls were sitting in a dentist's office when one of them remarked, "Why does the dentist call his office a 'dental parlour'?"
"I suppose he thinks it would be better than drawing room!" answered the other girl.

Pop, Pop
A Liverpool elementary school teacher vouches for the truth of the following:
A 10-year-old girl, describing a walk in the country, said: "I could not run because I had my pop with me."

SCIENCE LENGTHENS SPAN OF LIFE

IMPORTANT RESEARCH IN LABORATORIES

ARTIFICIAL ORGANS FOR STUDY OF ORGANIC DISEASES

(By A Physician)

IN Russia a human heart, recently beat for hours after its owner had died. In America a few months ago, several organs taken from chickens and cats lived for days in sterile glass containers. In Britain, scientists are studying the possibility of transplanting human organs.

Such experiments are often condemned as unnecessary, gruesome, and of purely academic interest. If one considers the increase of human life, academic, and the conquest of disease unnecessary, these indictments are true. Not otherwise.

Medical scientists acknowledge that we are on the verge of a new technique in the prevention of death. A body dies, not because the mass of cells which compose it are exhausted. There is no apparent reason why these cells should not live and multiply indefinitely.

It dies because the important organs which feed and control these cells—the heart, liver, kidneys, glands—become worn out as the engines of a ship are worn out. The body is scrapped as the hull is scrapped.

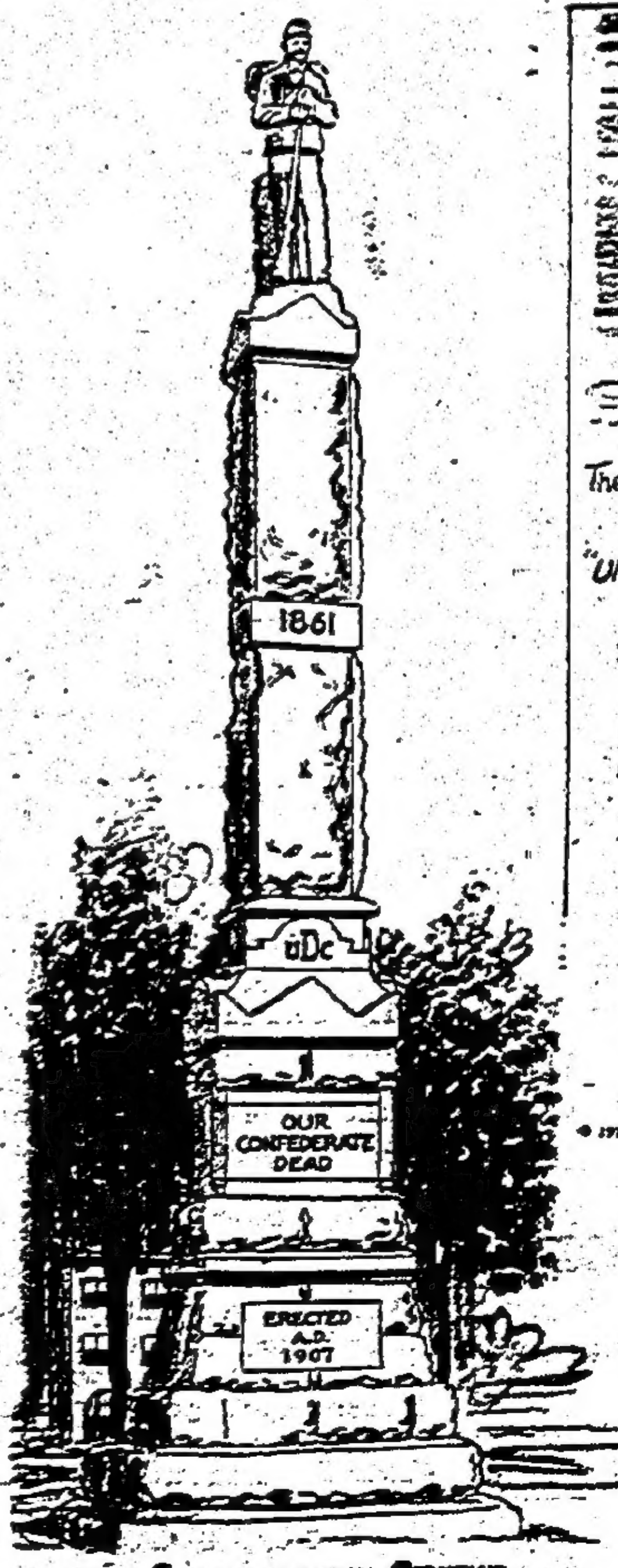
New "Engines"
Science is now studying the transplantation of new "engines." It has already succeeded in keeping these engines, or organs, alive after they have been removed from the hull, or body.

To the forefront in this new line of investigation are Charles Lindbergh (who is likely to go down to history, not as an aviator, but as a scientist) and Dr. Alexis Carrel, who has preserved a fragment of live chicken heart for 28 years.

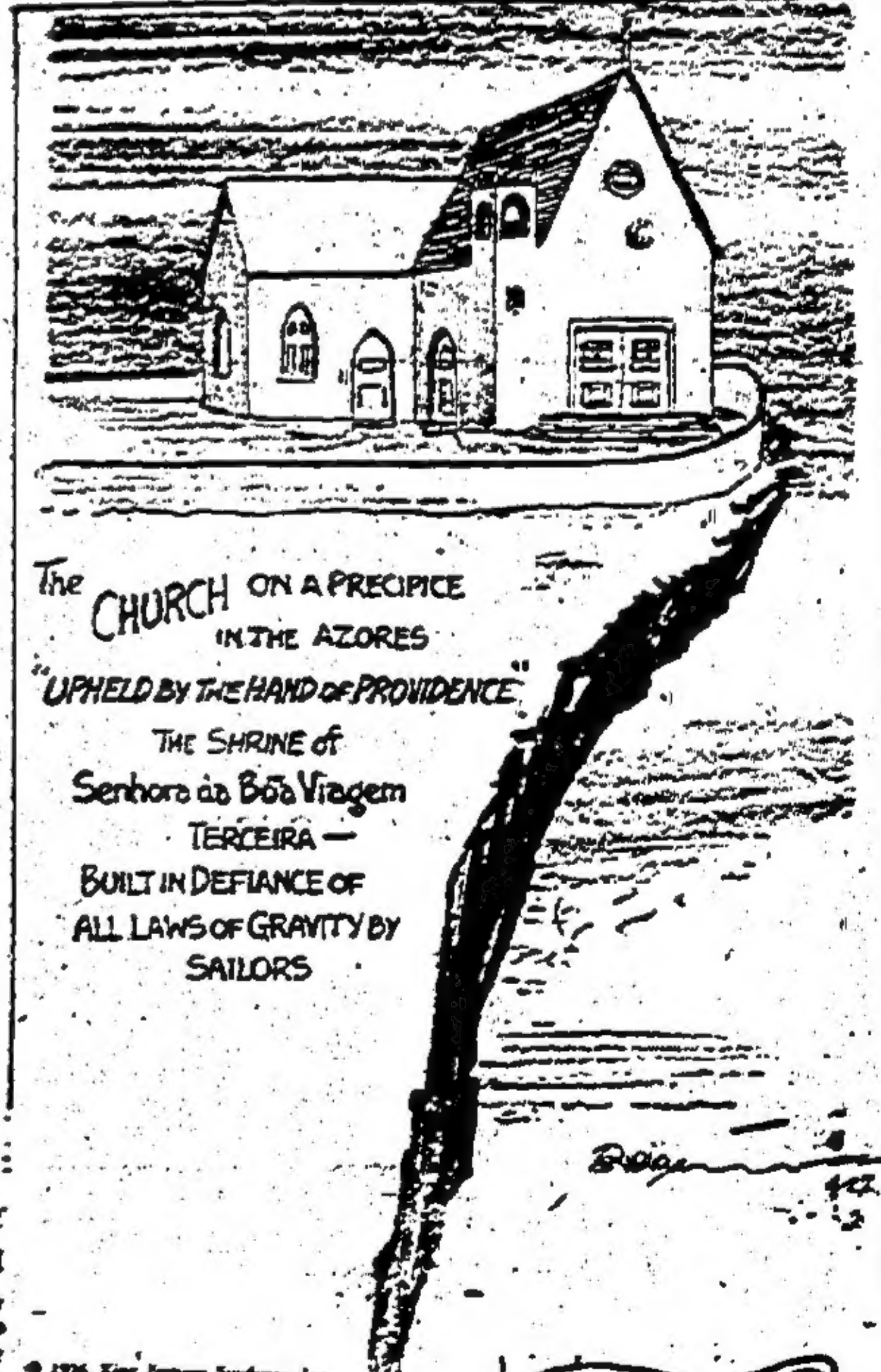
Lindbergh's perfection of a "mechanical heart," and Carrel's, "Why," asked the teacher, "were you afraid you would break the bottle?"
"Not that sort of pop, miss," said the child, "I mean Pop, my dad."

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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CLARK GABLE AS PUGILIST



Max Baer, above, former heavyweight boxing champion of the world, may be matched with Clark Gable, the film-star, according to a New York report.

REPORTED OFFER £10,000 FOR MATCH WITH MAXIE BAER

Film Star Said To Be Considering

BUT NO CONFIRMATION OBTAINABLE

New York. It is reported that Mr. Clark Gable, the film star, has been offered £10,000 for a boxing match with Max Baer, the former heavyweight champion of the world. According to the New York Evening Journal, which publishes the report, he is seriously considering the offer.

Mr. Gable, it is stated, is less interested in the purse than in the opportunity to display his ability as a boxer, of which he is proud. He demonstrated it once when, in making a film, he went beyond the demands of the script and knocked out Mr. Allen Pomeroy, a former inter-collegiate boxing champion.

It is understood that he has already applied to the California State Athletic Commission for a boxing permit. Before he can accept the offer, however, he will have to obtain the consent of his company—Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer—both to his appearance in the ring and to his absence from the studios during the period of training.

Officials of the company here stated that they had heard nothing of the proposal. Recently Mr. Gable's contract was renewed for seven years at a figure reported at £1,400 a week.



Clark Gable, the film-star, above, is said to be seriously considering an offer of £10,000 to meet Max Baer, ex-heavyweight champion of the world, in the ring.

£5,000 PROFIT FROM BEGGING IN FIVE YEARS

One-Legged Rascal's Collections

SENTENCED FOR ATTEMPTED
HOUSEBREAKING

A one-legged shoemaker who was said to have collected about £5,000 in five years by asking people to subscribe the cost of an artificial limb, was sentenced at London Session recently to 21 months' imprisonment.

The man was Edward Lawrence, 25, a native of South Wales, who was found guilty of attempted housebreaking.

Mr. Laurence Vine, prosecuting, said that a mind in a house in Platts-lane, Hampstead, heard a

NAZI SUBSIDIES FOR BIG FAMILIES

£6,000,000 Already Expended

Berlin. Herr Reinhardt, permanent head of the Ministry of Finance, announced last month that from the beginning of July regular subsidies of 17s. 6d. a month would be paid to parents for the support of a fifth child and every further child under 16.

This grant will be confined to workers earning not more than £15 a month. About £6,000,000 has already been paid out in special grants to poor families with many children. More than 1,000,000 children have benefited.

key being tried in the lock and notified the police. Officers went to the lane and saw Lawrence visit a number of houses. He told them that he was collecting for an artificial leg.

Notes On Houses Lawrence, in the witness-box, was questioned about a document found in his possession. It contained notes on various houses, stating that they had jewellery in them, the number of maids and their habits, and the opportunities of getting into the houses. One extract read:

"Being a lady-in-waiting, she should have some expensive jewellery. As there are only two maids, find what one is out, and get one in the kitchen."

Lawrence said that he made out the document 10 months ago, and

FAIR-GROUND MURDER

BOY OF SIXTEEN ON GRAVE CHARGE.

ALLEGED STATEMENT ABOUT GUN "THAT WENT OFF"

A 16-years-old Brentford boy appeared again last month at Richmond Juvenile Court charged with the murder of Arthur Hodgson, a watchman, at the Exhibition Fair Grounds, Kew, on June 10.

After evidence the hearing was adjourned. Both the police and the defence wished to make further enquiries.

The case was heard by Mr. W. Sanderson and a woman magistrate in a private room in the court-house. The boy sat with his father beside him.

Mr. E. Clayton, for the Director of Public Prosecutions, said that the boy was 16 years and two months old. He had been employed for some years by George Beach, owner of the fair ground at Kew Bridge. His duty was to look after this and other fairs.

On the day of the tragedy Beach, who was assisted by his wife, Jessie, was holding a charity fair at Twickenham. Their home was a bungalow at the Kew ground.

£200 In Bungalow George Beach, observed Mr. Clayton, was in the habit of carrying large sums of money about with him and keeping large sums in the bungalow. On June 8 or 9 there was about £200 in the bungalow, which was removed before the alleged murder took place. (Continued On Page 11)

HEAVIER GERMAN SUBMARINES

New 750-Ton Vessel Commissioned

MOUNTING 4.1-INCH GUN

Germany's latest submarine, U 25, has been commissioned after completing her trials.

With a surface displacement of 750 tons, she is three times as large as the previous boats. She may be regarded as the first ocean-going submarine of the new German Navy.

She is understood to have been built in about 20 months. A sister boat, U. 24, is due for delivery.

The U 25 has a stream-lined hull, with the usual serrated net-cutter at the bows and stout "jumping wires"—to deflect anti-submarine nets and other submerged obstructions—running fore and aft. There is a tall conning-tower, and forward of this a gun, apparently of 4.1-in calibre, is mounted on the deck.

In size the U 25 approximates to the earlier British "L" boats of 750 tons, which proved so successful during the war.

had abandoned the idea entirely.

Detective - Sergeant Wheeler stated that Lawrence's real name was Reginald Snary, and that he had been convicted on eight previous occasions. He was sentenced to 18 months' hard labour last year.

Referring to the document, the officer said: "Figures on the paper indicate that he has been earning by this means (collecting money to buy an artificial leg) something in the neighbourhood of £1,000 a year for five years."

The officer said that Lawrence had collected 6s. in half-an-hour on the day he was arrested.

"SWAN SONG" OF MR. G. B. SHAW

Last Public Speech By Playwright

PRaises AMATEUR ACTORS IN "CANDIDA"

Mr. George Bernard Shaw announced that he was making his last speech on any stage when he addressed the audience at the conclusion of a performance of his play "Candida" at the People's Theatre, Newcastle, last month.

The performance was part of the theatre's silver jubilee celebrations, and "Candida" was revived as the first full-length play performed by the theatre in 1911. "I have retired from public speaking," said Mr. Shaw. "How old do you think I am? [Mr. Shaw is 80 this month.]

"I can keep up appearances. I don't suppose that I look more than 70, but I am a good deal older than that and the time has come for me to retire from the footlights."

"This being my last speech in the theatre I like it to be in this one. (Cheers.)

Listened With Pleasure

"I have listened to this old play of mine, which I wrote before any of you were born, with a certain pleasure that I never can get from completely professional performances."

"It is just as well that people should understand that it is in performances of this kind, by people who are doing the thing for the love of it, who work hard and are not paid for it, that you get quality of performance, that you cannot get from even the most highly skilled professional actors."

"I want to say a word or two as to why the play was written. It was written when a tremendous sensation was being made in London by the arrival of the great Norwegian dramatist, Ibsen. This sensation was being made by a play called 'The Doll's House.'

"Remarkable Play"

"It was a remarkable play, but it completely upset not only the stage's conventions of the relations between husband and wife, but Europe's, conceptions."

"There you had the fine manly husband and the charming, delightful little squirrel of a wife."

"In the end the wife suddenly stood the gentleman on his head and made him and the audience understand that he was a rather poor specimen. Ibsen said to the woman: 'Cease to be the plaything of the man and the household. Be independent and be yourself.'

"I was not satisfied with that. It implied that, if the woman had to go out of the house, so long as she stayed in the house she was nobody."

"A Fine Fellow"

"I thought that it would be a good thing to write a play in which the husband would not be mean and contemptible, but should be a fine fellow in his way."

"I thought it would be nice to have the wife suddenly making the gentleman understand that she was the leading thing and the making of him. So I wrote 'Candida.' That is the whole point of this particular play."

CHILD'S NARROW ESCAPE

As the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. White, of Ainslie-street, Northampton, ran into the house, lightning struck the roof and bricks and tiles crashed down where she had been playing.

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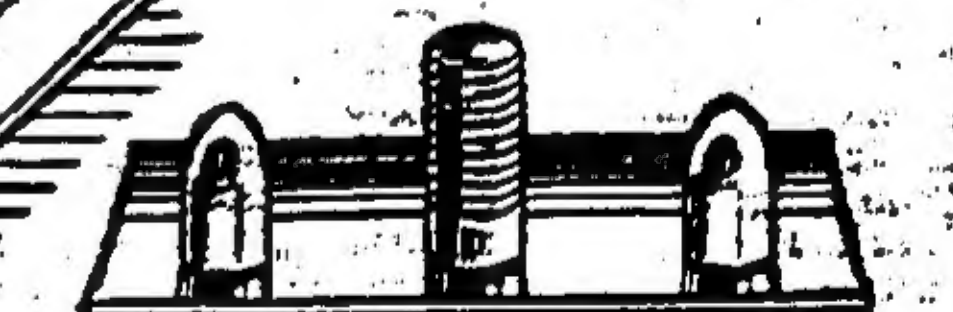
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From Fort McMurray to Aklavik, down the Great Mackenzie Basin, the Government wireless stations operated by the R.C.C.S. are to be modernised and equipped for air-to-ground and ground-to-air and two-way wireless communication. At Outpost

MORE TOURISTS IN BRITAIN DURING 1935

60,000 Visitors From America

Better times and the Jubilee celebrations resulted in a marked increase in the number of foreign tourists and excursionists who visited the United Kingdom last year. The official statistics for 1935, issued recently by the Home Office, show that 227,768 tourists landed last year, compared with 207,108 in 1934.

Half this increase of 20,660 consisted of Americans, whose number rose from 50,018 in 1934 to 69,682 in 1935. French sent 46,663 tourists; Germany 29,508, and Holland 20,175. The Italian tourists dropped from 7,397 to 5,780.

Excursion traffic from the Continent for one or two days or the week-end increased from 36,594 to 51,677—a rise of 15,083.

Island, and Goldfields, the present portable sets will be replaced by modern equipment, while a new station will be built at Fort Chipwyan.

Traffic Increases Need

The air traffic down the Mackenzie and the commercial air traffic in the mining areas of the new North, have increased to such an extent that radio communication is needed on a more adequate scale than heretofore.

Starting at Fort McMurray, where rail, air and water meet, a new radio station will be built to replace the old discarded R. C. M. P. building which has housed the R. C. C. S. station so far. Then down at Fort Chipwyan, where the radio station is a portable set in a little old shack three quarters of a mile from the aeroplane docks, a new building will be put up.

Heroic Workers

At the Goldfields station last winter a portable set was dropped down by plane, with an R.C.C.S. signaller, who camped with his set in a tent. Throughout the winter he sent and received signals. Most of the trappers and traders, miners and prospectors have little radio receiving sets and so each day special broadcasts were sent out for their benefit.

The operators of the R.C.C.S. stations are all enlisted men of the force. One of them was dumped down in a remote post a few years ago, with a portable set, and when the post grew and a bigger station was installed, he was given leave, of absence and went to Queen's University, graduating this year as Bachelor of Science.

CITY BUCKET-SHOP FRAUDS

Three Years For Share Pusher

EX-NAVAL MAN WHO FAILED FOR £270,000

A man who was stated to have been a petty officer in the Navy, and who failed last year with liabilities of £270,000 and assets of £15, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude at the Old Bailey last month for "bucket shop" activities.

He was Charles William Dickinson, aged 53, stock and share dealer, of Barton-street, Barons Court. He pleaded guilty to five charges of obtaining money by false pretences in connection with a "bucket shop" in Fenchurch-street.

Mr. G. D. Roberts, prosecuting, said that Dickinson had been in business for 12 years as an outside stock and share dealer, and the prosecution alleged that it had been fraudulent since 1933.

Among his victims were 220 women and 120 clergymen. Credulous persons forwarded sums ranging from £40 to £500, in the case of one man, who parted with all his savings. On paper he was said to have made a profit of £1,700, but he was reduced to destitution, and Dickinson gave him 5s.

Mr. W. A. L. Raeburn, defending, said that Dickinson had left the Navy with the highest character. He had 3,000 customers in his stock and share business, which was honestly conducted for many years.

"The figures relating to his failure are enormous, but they are the result of persistent gambling," he added. "This is a man who has been bitten the vice of gambling and became a victim, not the master, of his vice."

MAN WHO MARRIED HIS STEPMOTHER

Count Von Hochberg Dies At 26

Count Bolko von Hochberg, who, two years ago, married his stepmother, died at Warsaw yesterday at the age of 26. He was the son of Prince Meinrich of Pless.

His mother divorced his father, who married again. In 1934 Prince Heinrich divorced his second wife, the daughter of a Spanish banker, and she then married her stepson.

London's Small Supply Of Snake-Bite Serum

Two cases of adder bites in one week, and the appearance of large numbers of adders in the country recently, have raised the question of the availability of snake-bite serum in England.

Enquiries at London hospitals disclose that few keep much snake-bite serum on hand. It was stated at one hospital that it was unnecessary to do so, as the demand was very slight.

Supplies were said to be readily available from many of the larger firms of chemist. If the demand increased quantities could be had from the Pasteur Institute, Paris, son.

where serum for treating practically every type of snake-bite can be obtained.

Serum is also kept at the London Zoo, though only in quantities sufficient for the Zoo's own needs.

As sera vary, the doctor treating the case must know what type of snake was responsible for the wound, so that he can employ the correct serum.

Serum is obtained generally from the blood of horses which have been injected with a particular snake venom. The quantities are increased until the horses have become immune to that poison.

"SHE WAS POOR BUT HONEST"

Inspector's Opinion
Of Woman

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST INTERPRETER

The serious charge of fraudulently converting a sum of money, entrusted to him for the purpose of buying a present for Sanitary Inspector William Terry Bilson, was preferred against Wong On, an interpreter in the Sanitary Department, before His Honour Sir Atholl MacGregor at the Criminal Session this morning.

Mr. M. J. Abbott was for the prosecution, while Mr. Hing-shing Lo, instructed by Mr. J. M. Hall, appeared for the defence, the jury being comprised of Messrs. O. B. Payne (foreman), A. M. Xavier, V. P. Santos, A. J. Brown, Shim Wai-chong, A. Eddy and C. A. Lopes.

In his opening Mr. Abbott said that at about 9 a.m. on the morning of May 14, last, house-cleaning was going on in the Ma Tau Wei Road district and Sanitary Inspector Bilson and his interpreter, the accused, were in the vicinity, seeing that everything was being carried out properly. While the cleaning was in progress, Yip Shing came out of No. 10, Gilles Avenue and, approaching the accused, asked if he could persuade the Inspector to give her permission to carry on a small business, namely, selling rice pudding and bean curds.

Money Handed Over

Mr. Abbott then said the accused asked the woman when the present would be forthcoming and she replied that she was prepared to get it at once, if the Inspector agreed to give the necessary permission. Accused then asked the woman to give him the money, saying that he would buy the present for her and she then went back to the ground floor of No. 10 Gilles Avenue, where she borrowed \$5 from another woman, Wong Mui, and gave it to the accused.

Mr. Abbott then told the Court that the Inspector had had occasion to tell the woman, Yip Shing, that she must not prepare, for sale, any rice pudding or bean curds on the premises as she had no licence to do so. A week later he returned to the premises, when he found that his warning had been heeded, as the woman was then selling bean sprouts only.

Continuing, Mr. Abbott said that on June 9, Mr. Bilson, while in that vicinity, went to No. 10 Gilles Avenue again, but this time she found the woman selling rice pudding and bean curds. He went into the kitchen and saw her preparing the stuff and when he told her that he was going to prosecute her, she made a serious communication to him, as the result of which he took her to the Yaumati Sanitary Office in order that the matter might be brought to the notice of his immediate superior officer. The next day, concluded Mr. Abbott, the woman was taken to the Urban Council office, and as a result of a report made there, the proceedings against the accused were begun.

Mr. Bilson's Evidence

In the witness box, Sanitary Inspector Bilson gave evidence bearing out Mr. Abbott's opening address and added that when he told the woman that he was going to take out a summons against her, she asked him why he should do so as she had already given him a present.

Mr. Abbott: How did you find this woman Yip Shu, in your conversations with her?—I found that she was honest and straightforward. She is so poor that she cannot be anything else!—Yip Shu then went into the box and also gave corroborative evidence.

The case is proceeding.

WEATHER REPORT

Pressure is highest over the Pacific to the east of Japan, and relatively low over China generally. The typhoon is situated about 350 miles south-east of Shanghai, moving northward. South-east winds, moderate; fair with local showers, was the forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.



Spencer Tracy and Sylvia Sydney are in "Fury," which is now being shown at the King's Theatre.

LUXURIOUS CLUB RAIDED

£146 In Betting
Penalties

MACHINES TO BE DESTROYED

A police raid on a West End club, described as "second only to the Embassy," had a sequel at Marlborough-street last month, when penalties totalling £146 were imposed.

Kenneth Sinclair Senton, aged 46, of Conduit-street, W., secretary and manager of the Burlington-gardens Club, was fined £75, with £10 10s costs, for using the club for betting purposes. Ambrose Coghill, of Burlington-gardens, the owner of one gaming machine, was fined £50, with £10 10s costs, for a similar offence.

The club was not struck off the register. Summonses against Mrs. Florence Solomon, proprietress of the club, and Gordon Gibbons, of Finchley-road, N.W., who did not appear owing to illness, were adjourned.

Destruction Order

The magistrate, Mr. E. C. P. Boyd, made an order for the destruction of nine automatic gaming machines found at the club.

Mr. Vernon Gattie, prosecuting, said that the club was started in February, 1933, and had a membership of over 3,000.

Police observation was kept on the club in May, and it was found that nine automatic machines were being continuously operated. A warrant was obtained, and on the night of May 29 the club was entered by Supt. Ralph, Sub-Div. Inspector Smith and other officers.

Mr. Senton, Mr. Gattie continuing, said he accepted full responsibility for the use of the machines, which were worked on a 50-50 basis.

Only Complaint

Insp. Smith stated that the only complaint against the club was the continuous use of these automatic machines, in which £82 was found.

Replying to Mr. Claude Hornby, for Mr. Senton and the club, Insp. Smith agreed that the club was splendidly appointed and very well run. Between 60 and 70 people were present when the raid took place. The members were of good class.

Mr. Hornby said that Mr. Senton had carried on the club for three years without complaint. The rent, rates and taxes amounted to nearly £2,000 a year, and there was a staff of 38.

BOLD BID FOR FREEDOM

Prisoner's Leap From
Train

When Reginald Raymond, aged 32, an engineer, of Exeter-road, Rayners-lane, Harrow, was sentenced at Marylebone last month to nine months' imprisonment for shoplifting, the police described him as a man of "great determination."

On one occasion, when under arrest and being taken to London by train, Raymond smashed a window and jumped from the train, which was travelling at 50 miles per hour. He was badly injured.

At a previous hearing Raymond had been charged under the name of Merfield, and with him in the dock was a woman whose name was now given as Ivy Raymond, aged 23. Mr. Ivan Snell gave her a nominal sentence of one day, and advised her to break off her association with the man.

INDUS VALLEY CULTURE

Closely Allied To That
Of Greece

ARCHAEOLOGICAL FINDS EXAMINED

Karachi.—Dr. C. L. Fabri, of the Archaeological Department, Government of India, who has been conducting three months' research in Mohen-jo-Daro, announced an important discovery, namely, that the Sumerian inscriptions in Mohen-jo-Daro afforded accurate data for fixing the approximate date of the Indus Valley civilisation, in the course of a lecture last month on "latest discoveries concerning Indus Valley culture." Lady Graham, wife of the Governor of Sind, was among the large number present at the lecture.

With an array of facts illustrated with magic lantern slides, Dr. Fabri announced that the inscriptions had enabled him to put back the date of the Indus Valley civilisation by 300 or 400 years, namely, 2700 B.C. a theory with which Dr. Mackay concurred.

Similarity In Cultures

Dr. Fabri traced the similarity between the Grecian and Mesopotamian culture of old and that at Mohen-jo-Daro, driving one to the conclusion that there must have been an overland caravan route linking the West with the East and also flourishing trade.

The major portion of the lecture was devoted to explaining the startling similarity between the religious rituals in Crete and Mohen-jo-Daro. Bull-grappling feats in which the Grecians revelled offering themselves as sacrificial fodder for deities had their parallel in far-off Sind, and frescoes illustrating these rituals resembled each other closely.

Dr. Fabri based his conclusions on the interpretation of six important pictographs out of the 300 in his possession.

End Of Stone Age

Other points in the lecture were that the Indus Valley people lived at the end of the Stone Age, as hardly any metallic implements were found while there were a number of stone implements. These people were not a martial race, but were engaged in the peaceful avocations of potters, fishermen and traders. Amid the mud huts of ancient India, and its cluster of villages, Mohen-jo-Daro was a beautifully planned and laid out city, whose lanes and perfect brickwork were the admiration of present day archaeologists.

Dr. Fabri's discoveries, which throw vivid light on undiscovered facts and explain many startling phases of the Indus Valley culture, will soon be published.

THEFT OF REVOLVER AND AMMUNITION ALLEGED

Ma Ting, aged 48, unemployed, was this morning charged before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy with the theft of a revolver and six rounds of ammunition from the Tytan Police Station and with possession of same without permission from the Inspector-General of Police. Inspector Carey asked for a week's remand and said that the case might be a criminal one.

CASE OF ALLEGED ASSAULT

Dance Hall Proprietor
Summoned

NOT PREPARED TO APOLOGISE

Charlie Gray, manager of the Majestic Dancing Carabet, was this morning summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy with assaulting Leung Fung-sang, proprietor of the Silver Dragon Motor-car Garage, at No. 34, Village Road on June 8.

In answer to the charge, Gray said that he did smack the complainant, as he had given him provocation, and that the complainant and his folk were a source of nuisance. He had quarters round that district for his dancing girls, and had warned the complainant several times about the girls sitting in his garage. On the last occasion he spoke to complainant he smiled and he then lost his temper and hit him.

Humiliated

Mr. C. A. Russ, for the complainant, said that the girls came to the garage and the defendant ordered them out. As they did not go defendant turned round and hit the complainant, who had incurred a doctor's bill of \$15 and had been humiliated in front of his staff.

He, Mr. Russ, said that he was not satisfied with the excuse the defendant had given. His client had come to court with a genuine grievance and the defendant's excuse, if accepted, would make his client appear to be guilty.

Mr. Russ said that an apology in addition to a bond would perhaps meet the case, but Mr. Gray said that he was not prepared to apologise, as he thought he had sufficient ground for provocation when he hit complainant.

The hearing was adjourned till August 10 at 2.30 p.m.

ALLEGED FORGERY OF TICKET

Clerk Charged At
Magistracy

Yip Chung Kay, a clerk who failed to appear in court yesterday on a charge of failing to pay his fare while travelling on tram car No. 23 in Queen's Road East on Monday and who had a warrant for his arrest issued against him, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge, but denied the three additional charges preferred against him.

The other charges were (a) that on or about December 1, 1935, with intent to defraud he forged a certain document purporting to be a monthly ticket issued by the Tramway Company, (b) for a similar offence on July 1 and (c) with uttering a forged ticket purporting to be a monthly ticket with intent to defraud.

Mr. W. A. Mackinlay appeared for the Hong Kong Tramway Company and the case was formally adjourned for a week, defendant being allowed bail for \$500.

DRUNKARD CHOKED BY COLLAR-BAND

Wife Afraid To Wake
Him

Medical evidence that he had been asphyxiated by his tight collar band and the position of his head when he fell, was given at a Hendon inquest recently on Walter James Cornish, 64, of Bell-lane, Hendon.

His widow said that he had been a drunkard for many years. When he came home one Saturday night he fell in the passage.

"I thought he was lying asleep," said Mrs. Cornish. "I was always afraid to wake him. I used to thank God that he was having a peaceful sleep. Later, I found he was dead."

A verdict of accidental death was returned.

KING'S NEW MILITARY APPOINTMENTS

London, To-day.—H. M. the King has been graciously pleased to become Colonel-in-Chief of the Royal West African Frontier Force, Colonel-in-Chief of the King's African Rifles, and Colonel-in-Chief of the Ceylon Defence Force.—British Wireless Service.

THE ORANGE

Now Most Popular Fruit
In British Isles

People in Britain now consume more oranges per head of the population than any other fruit. Apples come second in favour and bananas third.

Every man, woman, and child, according to the law of averages, consumes 23.8 lbs. of oranges a year. That works out at about 70 to 80 oranges each.

The consumption of apples is put at 23.3 lbs. a head, and bananas 14.2 lbs. a head.

40-STONE MEN'S PRIVATE BURIAL

Crane Lowers Coffin

To avoid publicity, the funeral of Mr. Richard Harrow, the 40-stone man who died at Southend recently, was carried out before the cemetery officially opened. At 7.30 a.m. the coffin was taken from the mortuary to the cemetery.

Behind locked gates the coffin was lowered into the grave by means of a crane.

Two hours later, and again before the public was admitted, the mourners arrived for the funeral service, which was conducted by Canon Gowing.

The coffin was 6ft. long, 3ft. wide and 4ft deep.

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AUSTRALIA ENTER CHALLENGE ROUND

Wimbledon Officials Criticised

EXHIBITION MATCH IN DAVIS CUP!

London, To-day.

Beating Germany by 4 matches to 1 in the Inter-Zone Final of the Davis Cup competition, Australia will now meet Great Britain, holders for the past three years, in the Challenge Round at Wimbledon next Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

The last occasion on which Australia entered the Challenge Round was in 1924 when they lost to America by five matches to nil at Philadelphia. Australia was then represented by G. L. Patterson and P. O'Hara Wood, while the American team was W. T. Tilden, Vincent Richards and W. M. Johnston.

Although the rain ceased suddenly at Wimbledon yesterday, Baron Gottfried von Cramm decided not to play his singles match against Jack Crawford, owing to a recurrence of his leg injury. Crawford then engaged Denker in an exhibition match.

Later: "Showing a deplorable lack of knowledge of the rules governing the Davis Cup, the Wimbledon officials announced that the Crawford-Denker match was in the nature of an exhibition, but they finally correctly stated that it counted as a contest. Crawford won 6-3, 6-1, 6-4, and Australia therefore won by 4 matches to 1."

Earlier in the day it was stated that due to heavy rain von Cramm and Crawford did not play, Germany forfeiting the match to 1.

Full scores of the match were as follows:-

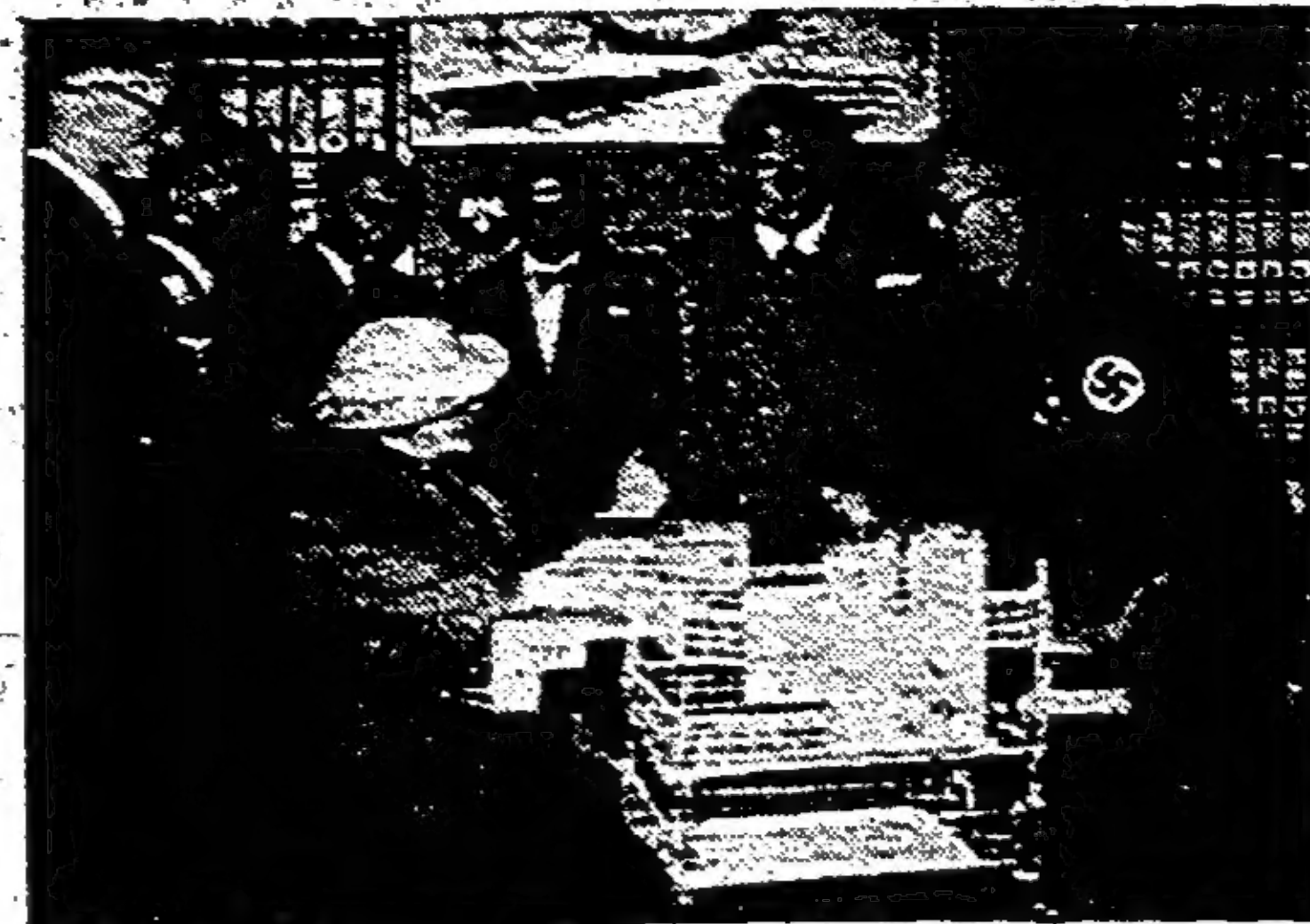
V. M. McGrath (Australia) beat H. Henkel 6-3, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4.

J. Crawford (Australia) beat H. Denker 6-3, 6-1, 6-4.

J. Crawford and V. M. McGrath (Australia) beat G. von Cramm and H. Henkel 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

J. Crawford (Australia) beat H. Henkel 6-2, 6-2, retired.

G. von Cramm (Germany) beat A. K. Quist 4-6, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 11-9.



General Goering takes an active interest in the winter relief campaign in Germany. He is here seen in conference with an official of the organisation. Frau Goering is also in the picture.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

Big Win For Pirates Over Phillies

DOUBLE WIN FOR TIGERS

New York, To-day.

The following were the results of the League baseball matches played yesterday:-

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	6	1
Brooklyn	3	10	2
Cincinnati	3	6	1
Boston	2	6	0
Pittsburgh	17	21	4
Philadelphia	6	11	1
Washington	6	9	0
Chicago	5	10	0
Philadelphia	0	7	1
Bridges pitched	8	13	1
Detroit	8	12	0
Hayes hit a home run	9	12	1
Boston	5	14	0
Cleveland	6	13	2
Hal Trosky homered	4	6	1
Bob Selkirk homered	5	8	0
St. Louis	5	8	0

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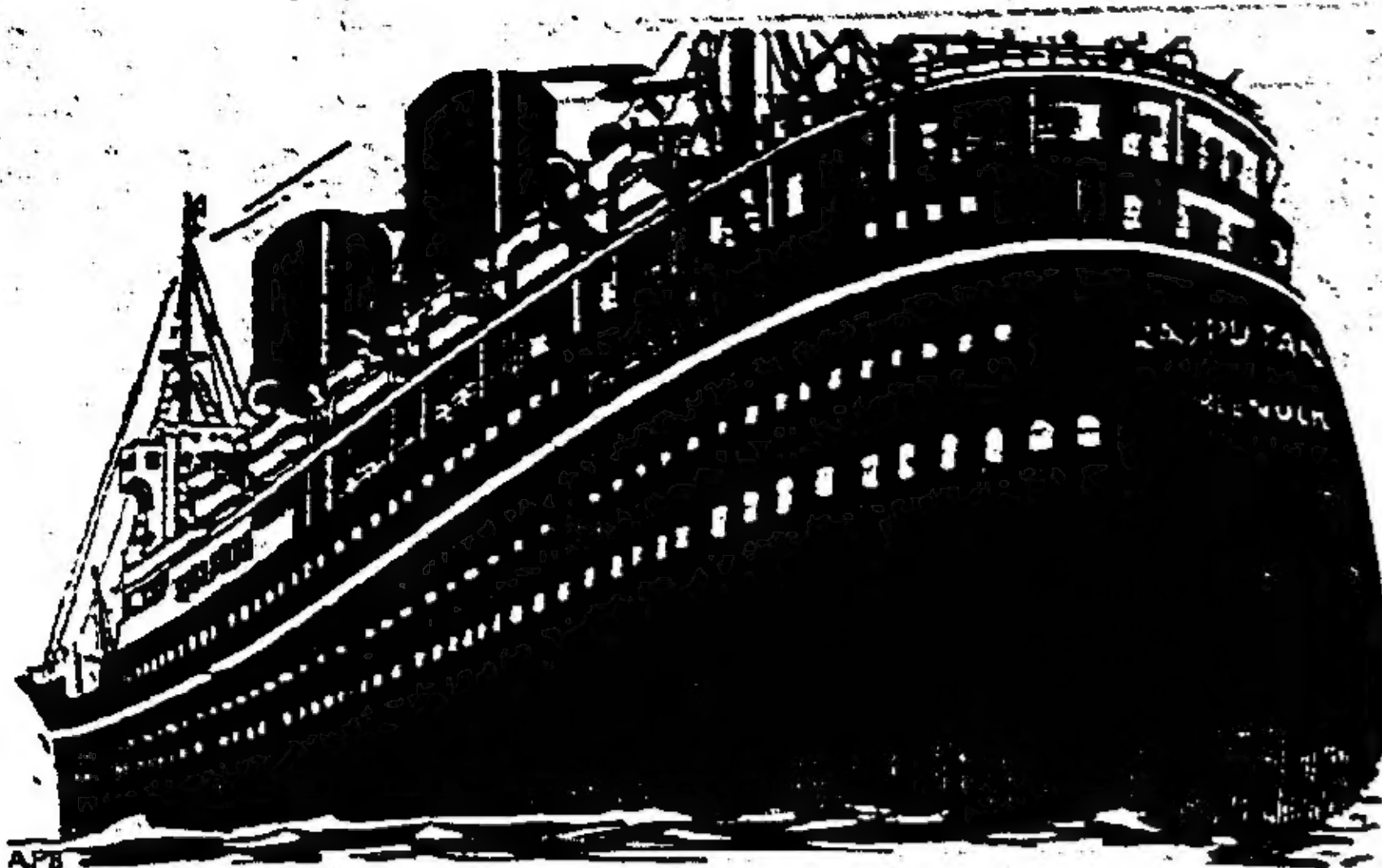
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Though the time fixed for the official opening of the magnificent Hawpar Mansion yesterday was 5.30 p.m., many of the invited guests, evidently deeming it wise to "come early and avoid the rush," appeared on the scene considerably before that hour.

Mr. Aw Boon Haw, the "Tiger Balm King," the owner of this palatial dwelling that graces the hill-side at Tai Hang, received his guests at the entrance, after which they were at liberty to wander at will through the tastefully-appointed rooms of the mansion or inspect the beautiful gardens, where lavish hospitality, befitting the character of the place, was dispensed.

The mansion is a very successful combination of the beauty of traditional Chinese architecture with the luxuries of the West and reflects the greatest credit upon both the architects and the furnishers and decorators.

About 6 o'clock His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, arrived, accompanied by Lady Caldecott, Capt. W. J. Craggs, A.D.C., and Rear-Admiral Sedgwick. The Government House party was greeted by Mr. Aw, Mr. S. L. Ip making a short speech of welcome, in English, on his behalf, after which Mr. Aw himself showed his distinguished guests over the mansion and grounds.

Others of the party were Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hayden, members of the Consular Body, representatives of the Army and Navy, Sir Shouson Chow and Sir Robert Ho Tung.

By kind permission of Lieutenant Col. A. M. Rodwell and Officers of the Regiment, the band of the Royal Ulster Rifles played a selection of music in the grounds.

HEROIN PILLS TRAFFIC

Representations To Government

MATTER DISCUSSED AT S.P.C. MEETING

The growth of the heroin traffic in Hong Kong and its danger to the Colony engaged the attention of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Protection of Children at its monthly meeting, held on Monday. The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kowall was in the chair.

Mrs. Barker, Hon. Secretary of the Society, spoke of the need of arousing public opinion on the matter, and referred to the danger of nervous and physical instability being inherited by children of addicts. While the great majority of addicts were men, enquiries showed that there were also a great many women addicts.

Apart from the moral and physical effects on the children of addicts, there was the further point of parents spending on heroin money which should be spent on their children, this leading to poverty and starvation. Children were also occasionally employed as carriers of the drug.

Sir William Hornell referred to the cocaine traffic in Calcutta in which small boys were usually employed. Experience there was that fines did not stop the traffic—in fact, there was one instance in which the same boy was fined 14 times. The fines were no doubt paid by people behind the scenes.

Growth Of Evil

The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo stated that the heroin-pill evil had grown enormously in the Colony during the past three months, no doubt aided by the putting into circulation of reports that the drug is a cure for venereal disease. The Chinese members of the Executive and Legislative Councils had got into touch with the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs on the subject, and extensive propaganda on the evils of heroin was being undertaken by street lecturers, radio, etc.

Replying to questions, Mr. T. M. Hazlerigg stated that most of the heroin used in the manufacture of pills in Hong Kong came from the North. Formerly, the pills sold at \$14 per 1,000; now, owing to increased demand, the price had risen to \$20 per 1,000.

During the discussion which ensued, it was pointed out that

FAIR-GROUND MURDER

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Mr. Clayton pointed out that it would be known to employees, including the boy, that there was a large sum in the bungalow. "I mention this because the prosecution say that the motive is one of robbery," he added.

On June 10 Hodgson was alone in the exhibition ground at Kew. The fair was closed, and Hodgson had five big dogs to assist him in watching the ground.

"These dogs would be friendly towards this boy, who had been with them for some time," said Mr. Clayton.

Boy's Duties

It was the duty of the accused to be at the Twickenham ground that afternoon to look after swings or booths. It was his duty to stay at that ground until the fair was closed for the day.

About 4.30 p.m., in accordance with her custom, Mrs. Beach telephoned the Kew ground to see that Hodgson was all right. In consequence of her conversation with him she went to the Kew ground. On the bridge she saw a crowd of people and did not know what was the matter. She found that the entrance was fastened and got a man to climb the railings and let her in.

"She went over with the idea of looking for Hodgson, and found him on the ground near to the bungalow where the money was kept—near the pay desk," said Mr. Clayton. "The police were called and did not detect any mark on the body. Hodgson was taken to hospital as a case of collapse. By the time he reached hospital he was dead."

Painter's Evidence

Mr. Clayton said that a painter who was working near the fair ground had told the police that he had seen someone enter the fair ground by climbing the gate about 4.30 p.m., remain for half an hour and then get away from the slipway in a hurry. The painter gave a description, and later, at Twickenham fair ground, picked out the accused as the person he saw entering and going away from the fair ground.

Mr. Clayton said that the boy told the police that he did not know anything about it, and denied that he had been at Kew fair ground.

Mr. Clayton added, "I think the father also said that the boy had not left Twickenham fair ground."

Later, Insp. Henry found a single-barrel Winchester gun in the slipway. Near the bungalow a jemmy was found under some soil and also a rasp—things that could be used for breaking into the bungalow. There was a stool under the window which would assist anybody to get into the room where the money was kept.

When the boy was cautioned, he said, "I never done it," went on Mr. Clayton, and when charged said, "I did not do it, sir."

Alleged Statement

Later the youth sent for Divisional Detective-Inspector Drew again and made a statement. In this statement he was alleged to have said that on June 10 he got a rifle and went to the fair ground at Kew.

He was also alleged to have said that he put two cartridges in the rifle and that he was given a lift in a car to Kew, the man who drove him told him to take the car to the bottom of the road at Kew and leave it until he came. The boy did so.

The alleged statement continued that the boy took the gun in a sack, climbed over the fence, and sat down in the slipway.

"I shot at a couple of rats but missed them," went on the alleged statement. "I got up to call Arthur. As I did so I seemed to pull the trigger and it went off and hit Arthur. I ran away, frightened. I thought I would get into trouble. I climbed the gun under a tree."

Mr. Clayton said that the boy later stated that he had told a lie about where he had got the gun. "I did not want dad to know how I got it from the shack at Kew," he told the inspector.

Rifle Missing

Mr. Clayton said that enquiries were being made as to where the rifle was. The result of a big campaign, had wiped out the evil in six years.

It was decided to draw the attention of the Government to the evil, and to express the hope that the authorities would do their utmost in measures for its suppression.

gun came from. A Winchester rifle was missing from the fair ground.

It was the prosecution's case that the boy was not driven over from Twickenham fair ground by a friend, but that he stole a car. The car was found abandoned at Kew.

Mr. Clayton suggested that the boy left the fair ground at Twickenham when he should not have done so, took the car, went into the Kew ground, knowing that Hodgson was there alone. Believing that there was some money in the bungalow he, after being disturbed, shot Hodgson. Then, noticing the commotion on the bridge, he ran away and so got back to Twickenham.

A police officer put in a plan of the fair ground. Replying to Mr. du Cann, defending, he said that it would be possible to shoot through the railings of the fair ground.

Expert's Evidence

Robert Churchill, a gun expert, of Orange-street, W.C., said that he had inspected the Winchester rifle. There was a fired cartridge in the breech and two live cartridge cases in the magazine. A bullet produced in court was a ricochet bullet, and had glanced off after hitting something hard.

Dr. Eric Gardner, of Weybridge, said that he had found a bullet wound in the lower part of Hodgson's back. The cause of death was hemorrhage. The mark on the bullet had been caused by striking a bone.

Replying to Mr. Du Cann, Dr. Gardner said that the shot must have been a direct one. There was no sign of a struggle. The shot must have been fired from a distance of more than 3 ft.

Stool At Window

George Beach, owner of the Kew fair ground, said that on June 11 he assisted the police to search the premises. They found a file and chisel in a box behind the kitchen of his house. Usually these were kept at a different part of the fair ground.

A stool was found beneath a window. There was a sum of between £200 and £250 in a middle room of the caravan. The stool was found under the window of a different room.

If Hodgson was cleaning the pay-desk the window under which the stool was found would be out of view of Hodgson and of people passing over the bridge.

As Mr. Beach concluded his evidence the boy, who, up to this time, had appeared quite composed, suddenly began to weep, clutching his father's hand. Then he wiped his eyes and listened to the evidence of Hansie Glover, a cycle dealer, of Sheen-lane, Mordlake, who told of the theft of his car on June 10, when he visited Twickenham fair. Next day he identified the car at Richmond police station.

DRAMATIC GOLF

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Dramatic Recovery

His chance seemed to have gone when the drive to the long dog-legged 16th was hooked into the wilds. Adams hacked the ball back on to the fairway, and then hit a glorious iron shot so close to the pin that the putt could not be missed—a wonderful escape!

This was one of the three 4's. The excited throng dashed up the fairway to see Adams' attack the 17th, the feature of which is a long, narrow green with its right flank close up against an iron-paling over which is out of bounds, and the left flank protected by a nest of bunkers.

Wanted 3 To Tie
Alas! His iron shot, hit with just a touch of hook, dived into one of the many hazards on the left. As the best he could do was a 5, Adams was left with a 3 at the last hole to tie. In the circumstances, it was a lot to ask, but as events turned out he came within a hair's breadth of accomplishing the trick.

A huge drive, followed by a full mashieballie shot down wind, left him with a putt of about a dozen yards for a 3. No putt was ever hit more smoothly or more firmly. The ball rolling on and on struck the side of the hole and, as all

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lack would have it, stayed out. Cheated Of Tie

Groans of disappointment, followed by encouraging cheers, went up from the vast crowd assembled round the green. The fates had cheated Adams of a tie.

It was now Cotton's turn to attack. With the last round to play, he was one stroke in front of Padgham, no small asset in such a situation.

The start was dramatic, for Cotton hit his second shot at the acute dog-legged first hole out of bounds. This was a 5, but he levelled up matters by getting a beautiful 3 at the second, a mashie shot finishing stone dead. Playing with extreme care, there was no further slip until the seventh, the grave of many a golfer's hopes.

Where Cotton Lost

To the left of this extremely small green is a low turf wall over which is out of bounds. It was at this subtle short hole, and also at the long eighth where, in my view, Cotton lost the championship.

At the first of these two holes Cotton hooked his iron shot over the wall into the field beyond, while at the next, where two magnificent wooden club shots brought him to the foot of the plateau green, he played a woefully weak run up which gave little or no chance of a 4.

In this way two shots were wasted, and instead of reaching the turn in 34 the score was 36. This meant that he had to accomplish the last nine in 35 to win. There was no margin for the slightest slip.

Strain Too Great

The strain proved too great for Cotton, who broke in the end. With three disastrous 5s in quick succession, Cotton's chance was fast ebbing away.

With the last two holes to play he wanted a 4 and a 3 to tie, figures not by any means impossible, but, in the particular circumstances, with every nerve stretched almost to breaking point, unlikely. All hope vanished, when, at the 17th, an iron shot ran through the green into the rough beyond. As the putt was a 5—the best that he could hope for—Cotton needed a 2 at the last hole. There are no mirac-

les in golf, and Cotton got his 4 to finish joint third. Bitterly disappointed, he left the course and was not seen again.

Takes All Chances

With the failure of Cox, there was none left but the genial Sarazen, who, going out on his last round three strokes in arrears, went boldly for everything in the hope that something might happen.

Lots of things did happen; he lashed the ball with great fury into all manner of places except the right ones, but generally managed to wriggle successfully out of the net by holing putts from everywhere.

If Sarazen had driven as well as he putted, the championship might have gone to America. With two holes to play, he wanted a couple of 3s—a hopeless task.

Padgham's Clubs Locked Up!

The champion's experience at the beginning of the day's struggle was not calculated to make his task the smoother, for his clubs were locked in an outbuilding, and the man with the key could not be found.

With the possibility of disqualification staring him in the face, there was nothing for it but to effect an entrance by breaking the windows and rescuing the bag of clubs. Even the calm and imperturbable Padgham was not unaffected by the incident, and his first drive disappeared into the rough on the right. Instead of a four, he opened with a five.

I do not recollect Padgham ever driving with such a lack of confidence, but whatever deficiencies were revealed in this respect, they were more than neutralised by his putting, which at times bordered on the miraculous. At the end, when things were going badly, he holied single putts to save himself on five out of six successive greens.

One of these was a putt of five yards for a three at the 18th, which gave him the championship. As the ball dropped Padgham was greeted by deafening cheers. "My putter is my best friend; it won the championship," said Padgham, an observation that is literally true.

